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Applications Now Available For ACT Test

of '78. Those students who have not taken the ACT test should contact the high school to ge your applications. The applica tions are in and must be tilled out and mailed before Septem

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Public Transit To Serve Kirtland

The Crawford County Public Transit is interested in provid-ing bus service to Kirtland Comunity College, providing there is enough interest to warrant it

Any county resident who is going to Kirtland this fall and would like to avail themselves his service is urged to call 348-5409 as soon as possible for more information and so that routes can be set up.

Grayling High School 1977-78 Scheduling

By Kent Reynolds, Principal Due to the June defeat of millage request and the late data in which the rate for the August 29 election was set. scheduling is not yet complete at Grayling High School for the 1977-78 school year. All Gray-ling High School students will be receiving letters from the school in the mail near the end of this week. Those students for whom the computer was able to develop a schedule with all of their requests from pre-regis-tration will receive a copy of that schedule. If the student and parents are satisfied with the schedule they will be guaranteed that exact schedule for the coming school year. They

need not contact the school. Those students who received no schedule and those students were dissatisfied with the schedule they did receive may arena schedule at the school according to the following time

Tuesday, August 30, 8.00 a.m. All students with block-time programs (COOR, Co-Op. Building Trades, Food Mar agement), 9:00 Seniors, 1:0

Wednesday, August 31, 8:00 Sophomores, 1:00 Freshmen.
Students who are not satis[See Scheduling on page 16]

Bowling Notice

Sunday Afternoon Fun Lea que will meet August 28, 4:00

p.m. at Legion Lanes. League Officer's and team captains please attend. More bowlers are needed to fill the

Important Taxpayers Assn. Meeting Friday

An organizational meeting for the Crawford County Taxpayers Association will be held this Friday evening, August 26th at 7:30 p.m. in the Grayling High School Auditorium located on

persons interested are urged to attend, and to bring a

The resignation of two trustees of the Kirtland Community College and another step in airport negotiations were among matters of business dealt Trustees at their last meeting

Kirtland Community College has now reached the taxi strip stage in their effort to get their expanded Aviation Program un-derway here in Grayling. A resolution to prepare for the

release of grant funds from the Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission was adopted by the college board of trustees.

The resolution states that funds allocated through the Upper Great Lakes Regional Commission (UGLRC) and the education department will be \$122,064 and Kirtland's share will be not less than \$30.516.

Record Player Donated By Lions



Lions Club President Bob Prause presented the Grayling Co-Op Nursery School with a new record player to replace a very wern-out one. The Lions support the young people in our community in many ways. Howard Taylor received \$200 from the Club for the Summer Recreational Program earlier in the summer. The Camp AuSable for the Blind received funds to support three campers and individual members personally supported three more

The Grayling Co-Op Nursery is a non-profit organization ported by tuitions from the Co-Op parents, Federal funds for supporting a Title I program, and from donations from the service clubs in the community. The Nursery is now in the process of raising funds to insulate the building property to stop heat loss in

Both the 3-year-old and 4-year-old groups have openings for the coming year starting this September. Contact the Enrollment Chairman Betty Reinhardt at 348-8803 or Irene Pettyjohn, Title I Director at 348-7641, Ext. 52, for more information.



THIS IS A HELICOPTER—What is obvious to people with normal vision is only a loud noise in the air to these blind children at Camp AuSable. That is until the National Guard flew a special mission to the camp and let the kids explore the machines with their hands and a thousand questions. Counselors took the children to the aircraft and led them through the cockpits and pilots seats explaining controls, knobs and handles until what was formerly a noise became a tangible reality. In the above photos, a crowd gathers around the machine after it landed and the rotors stopped. A quardsman places a tiny hand on each control and explains what they are for, while a camp counselor assists one of the girl campers

Resignation of Trustees; Aviation **Program Topics of Kirtland Board**

Acting President Ray Homer told the board the legal tangle at the Grayling Airport which held up the expansion project "looks like it's resolved." UGLRC had set Sept. 30 as the deadline to by the KCC Board of

bidding the project if grant funds were to be retained. Homer said architect A. Calvin Smith has been authorized to proceed with design bid specifications. Also authorized is a topographical survey cost-

Fashion Show

The women of the Assembly of God Church are sponsoring a children's fashion show. It wil be held at the Grayling Elementary School. August 25th. at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome. at 7 p.m. Everyone is No admission charge.

Bowling Notice

There will be a Thursday Morning Coffee League meeting. August 29 at 7:30. All officers and captains should be there and all other interested

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The exact amount of land needed for the facility will be determined, and then Kirtland will apply with Crawford County and the City and Township of Grayling for a 25-year lease from the Department of the Army, according to Homer. The proposed addition would extend three feet over the property line of the existing site occupied by

In other business the board accepted the resignations of William S. Eichler of Rose City and Dr. Edward Gallagher of Roscommon. Both men have

moved to different areas Eichler, one of the original members of the board has become the business manager of the Central Wyoming College of the Central Wyoming College at Riverton and Gallagher is an instructor at Oakland Community College and has his per-

anent residence in Rochester.
The board will have to appoint two new replacements for the

Youth Services Road 'N River Rap

By Robert Smock

statement in last week's article is in order. I had indicated in a eneral manner that law enforcers were turning their backs on the general mariner that law enforcers were turning their backs of the biggest crime in the county - littering. Littering is a crime and is a problem in Crawford County. Yet, it appears that I was out of line saying law enforcers turn their back on this problem. A recent visit to the prosecutor's office, sheriff's office and city police office all clear procedures for handling any and all littering

Youth Services Environmental Clean-up effort is slowly winding down. On August 26th, thirty six SPEDY enrollees and four CETA Title VI Supervisors will be terminated as those programs come to an end. The DNR program and Adjudicated/Disadvantaged Youth Program will continue until September 30.

Having completed our ninth week, every main road, the South Branch, AuSable, Manistee Rivers and numerous lakes and campsites have been environmental cleaned. Our operation has even been extended to 1-75, trail roads and desolate hunting and fishing areas. A list of thirty eyesore areas from the DNR has also been completed. For the most part, our efforts these remaining weeks will deal primarily with re-littered areas. A very interesting and informative slide presentation will be available for groups to

view at the end of the environmental program.

If you have a littering complaint, I urge everyone to file those complaints with the Sheriffs Department or City Police. The judicial system is the only way by which we can half the littering problem in

Crawford AuSable Schools opening shortly, each morning from 9:00 to 12:00, any questions regarding counseling of employment can be answered by Youth Services Counselor or Employment Coordinator. New programs and counseling services will be available in the near future

9.65 for Five Years

School Millage Vote Monday

By Rod Denley
Voters in the Crawford AuSable School District will be returning to the polls once again this Monday to cast their ballots on a revised and reduced millage issue that will

be in effect for a five-year period.

Voters turned down the millage renewal issue by a very narrow margin at the first vote held on June 13th. Voters not only defeated the renewal in that election but also defeated two additional millages

The ballot for this election does not include the two additional millages but is for the renewal plus .50 mills in addition In the last election voters could vote on three different propositions for a one year period but in this election the vote will be for a single amount over a five year time

Wording of the proposal on the ballot is as follows

"Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Crawford AuSable School Crawford. Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan be increased by 9.65 mills (\$9.65 on each \$1.000 of state years, 1977 to 1981, inclusive for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes. (9.15 mills being a renewal of 9.15 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1976 tax levy and .50 mill being additional operating

the five year duration of the renewal instead of the yearly proposal which voters

"The decision to go for a five-year

thought it would be good to get away from a yearly election just for renewal millages every year," says Frascr Dean, superintendant of the local school district. Dean passed costs taxpayers a lot of extra money in election costs and takes a great deal of time to accomplish. He confirmed that any additional millages needed tor operation on top of the renewal in future years would still require a vote by property

"This renewal is a reduction of 1.8 mills from the initial sum total of the millages that were proposed in June," said Dean. "This proposal is representative of the very sincere effort made by the board to cut back in every possible way on expenses. It is a determined effort to be responsive to the problems faced by the taxpayers and to go as far as they can possibly go, in making cuts and still provide decent education for children.

"It's a damn tight budget and a very frugal approach to education," he added. Dean said there is a high pitch of interest in the election within the com-munity and this has been especially reflected in the absentee voter turnout which has been quite high.

Dean has declined to comment on what course of action will be followed in the district if the renewal is not bassed. He said. "We will just have to cross our bridges as we come to them.

being hired on to replace a number of teachers that have left this year and are election will inevitably mean another vote somewhere down the road he said.

The school system will open and operate on 6 mills that was approved last year and on 7.1 mills that is allocated by the state to the school system, he said.

In a public statement released last week by the board relating to the millage, the board members said the reduced millage in this election is a reduction that came "after a long and arduous study and discussion." The statement also says, .. this is the minimum amount of millage needed to provide an education that meets

the basic needs of our children. We were able to arrive at this reduced millage request because of the following reasons:"

The reasons included increased funding from State Aid due to changes in the State Aid assistance formula, a reduction of classroom teachers, additional reductions in the extra-curricular activities and mon ics left over from last year's program due to tight spending, reduced programs and savings in fuel, electricity and maintenance costs.

represents a sincere effort to be responsive to the concerns of taxpayers and the needs of school children," says the statement.

A number of citizens committees had prepared reports in the past which dealt with several areas of concern within the school system. The board replied to some of these issues in their report as well which stated, "We did rearrange our priorities somewhat to deal with problem areas by allocating additional monies for textbooks, teaching supplies, library books

\$380,000 Grant for County

WASHINGTON, D.C.-Congressman Philip Ruppe today announced that the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has given final approval to a \$380,000 community development block grant for Crawford County.

HUD made preliminary project selections in March, and subsequently invited 13 Northern Michigan communities to submit funding applica-

Today's award clears the way for Crawford County to proceed with its proposed public facility projects, including sewer lines in the City of Grayling, and street improvements in Frederic and in Grayling Township.

In addition, the County will continue its housing rehabilitation program that was initiated last year with community development block grant

Red Cross Fire-Fighter Support is Inaugurated

Effective August 15th, the proposed plan to provide hot coffee, cold drink and food to Crawford County Volunteer Firemen on the scene when fires last more than a few hours is in effect.

At the Annual Meeting of Crawford County Chapter/American Red Cross at the Shoppenagon Hotel on July 26th, Mr. Howard VanDeWater accepted the Chairmanship of the Red Cross Fire Support Program, and six teams are on standby alert on a rotating basis, now, prepared to bring food and drink to our Volunteer Fire Fighters on long fires.

The equipment for this service is kept in the Crawford County Courthouse under the supervision of the Sheriff. Whenever a County Fire Chief determines that the fire will last longer than a few hours, he will

[See Red Cross on page 16]

Long Boats Take Over AuSable Saturday



FLOATING DOWN THE RIVER-One of 32 AuSable River Longboats that were entered in the Fifth Annual Regatta held on Saturday leaves Bernie Fowlers' place, Edgewater on the AuSable, to begin the leisurely trip to Wakeley Bridge (Rod Denley Photos)

ALFRED HANSON, 87 SUCCUMBS TUESDAY

Alfred Hanson, 87, passed away Tuesday morning at Munson Medical Center.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 1 p.m. at Sorenson A full obituary will be in next

week's paper.

Warning

Annual Training/Inactive Duty Training will be conducted by units of Ohio Army National Guard during the period 24 thru 27 August 1977.

The various ranges located at Camp Grayling will be utilized during this period.

The Air to Ground Range,

which is located east of Guihrie Lake and north of County Road 612, will be in use during the period 24 August thru 2 September 1977.

These ranges will be closed during the above dates and all persons are warned to stay out of these areas



OLDEST BOAT IN THE SHOW—Pete Stephan does the honors for his father Herb as they take time to fish from the oldest boat entered in the show; a craft built in 1931

Vote Monday!

By Rod Denley
The Fifth Annual AuSable
River Boat Regatta was a pleasant page from the past and a hopeful note for the future.

More than 30 of the long wooden boats were moored on the riverbank Saturday morning at Edgewater on the AuSable, while over 90 people enjoyed the warmth of good company and a large fire pir. A steady stream of pancakes, boiling coffee and friendly conversation got the day off to a sunny start after freezing temperatures of the night before.

Following breakfast, which was hosted by Bernie Fowler. the boats slowly slipped away in the morning mist as fisher-men and sightseers began a leisurely float down the river from Stephans Bridge to Wake-

ley Bridge.
Standing on Stephans Bridge as the cances slipped away from the grassy banks of the Fowler home, the river seemed to turn back in time. The river men quietly poled their craft along and dropped their flies into pools and eddys and hoped for a successful strike

Others simply sat back and let the river bank slip by soaking up the rising sun and returning the stare of a sleek brown mink that paused in his fishing for a few seconds to stare at the parade of boats that stowly slipped downstream past his glistening eyes.

The riverboats gathered at the regatta seemed almost as natu ral a part of the river as the sleet of the boat judged prettiest of the day, hopes they will be or [See Long Boats on page 7]

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until mid-November without the proposed millage.

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VOTERS— Did You Know



It is not surprising for a man who has also worked in the lumbercamps of the Upper Peninsula, rode on the lumber trains and passenger cars from Bay City to Mackinaw, ran a lodge that catered to many Detroit doctors and lawvers managed a liquor store and after all of that, he went into a peach farming business that within three years took the laurels

Austin J. Scott is a painter; a hobby he took up at the age of

79 and he paints very well

Austin Scott Has Had Varied Life

Mr. Scott is now 87 and he and his wife Ruth sat in their lodge this summer on the North Branch of the AuSable River and reminisced about the good years they have had in Crawford County and many other areas of Northern Michigan.

He grew up in Roscommon, the son of a doctor and has followed a colorful career since then, all of which has given him a vast reservoir of experience and memory to bring to his painting.

How did he begin to start painting at the age of 79? Sitting in the front room of the lodge he pointed to a corner of a screened-in-porch and said, "My wife was spending a lot of her time crocheting and knitting, and I was sitting there in my chair just looking at the river.
After a while I got pretty bored
with all of that and I decided to take something up." The spark that set it off was a visit from a friend to his peach orchard in friend to his peach orchard in Alabama who had come to help with the harvest. That man was Emil Golnick of Grayling, and he picked up one of the many cats that roamed the Scott farm.

He drew a picture of the man holding the cat and people were surprised at the talent in the drawing. His wife urged him to get some watercolors and he did. That soon led to oils and did. That soon led to olis and soon he was painting regularly. Since that time, he has done over 100 paintings, many of them depicting his early experiences in the logging camps and his childhood days in the Roscommon area.

The paintings are those of a

The paintings are those of a man who started from scratch and became a self-taught artist.
As he went along. Scott says he learned techniques and adopted them to his painting. One depicts a river, jammed packed with logs, so thick the water can

Bits O' Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Day of Tucson, Arix, have been visiting Tucson. Arix. have been visiting in Michigan since June. They visited their son. Mark, in East Lansing and their daughter. Judy. and family. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Charland and son. Jay, in Lansing. Here in Grayling they have been visiting his brother and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Glan Day and also Mr. and Mrs. Glen Day and also Mr. and Mrs. John Ludeman. Mary had sur-gery on her knees last year and says <u>ber. two "new"</u> knees are doing wonderful.

Harold Cliff of Arizona Is

visiting Ernie Hoesli.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hayes. Jeff and Jeannie were called to Paris, Tenn., by the illness of his father. His father had sur-gery and is recovering very nicely. The Hayes brought back

a lot of fresh garden vegetables from his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Walls have moved from Belleville to Grayling to make their home. They are living on Fulton St., and he is employed at WGRY.
Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Sherman, Woody and Steve, moved

this week to Fayetteville, N Car. Vaughn is going back to work at the same Chevrolet dealership that he had worked

it was one morning when a bunch of us kids went down to swim in it when I was really young," he said. "The logs had piled up all the way along the river. So instead of swimming, we spent the whole morning bouncing from log to log and running along them. We went over a mile and a half upstream

"The first few pictures I did with oils were kind of bad. I had a hard time for awhile but soon I learned how to do it a lot better. Now my house in Alabama is full of paintings."

on top of those logs."

Many of the paintings depict the logging days in Michigan which were a way of life for Scott for many years. "When I was 20 years old I was working at the docks in St. Ignace and it was cold. You couldn't find a warm place to sleep and it always was cold and damp at nights. As things got worse in the fall I decided to head for something better." Something better was a job for the winter in a lumber camp in the Upper Peninsula near Trout Lake. "I was a chore-boy in the camp and my day started at 3

in the morning. When I had to light the lamps and get the stoves going. Then it was a full day of chopping wood and carrying water until I put the lamps out at 9 p.m. For that I got one dollar a day and after the winter was over, I had \$100. wanted to get home to Roscommon intact so I didn't even eat all the

Scott also spent many years as a brakeman on the railroad and also carried the mail for seven years to Lewiston. "I was the first one in Grayling to have a snowmobile for the mail run in the winter." He said the ma chine was built by a Grayling mechanic from an old Ford car and he used it to deliver the mail until he was underbid and lost

the route.
For 17 years he was on the railway and would usually haul logs either out of the bush or on the long runs down to Bay City.
"I was also a Fourth of July conductor once in a while," he said. "On that day there was always extra cars needed to haul tourists up to Machinaw Island. Then I would end up being a conductor for a day instead of my usual job of being

There were over 350 men on the seniority list for the railroad back then, and as far as I know now I am the only one that is left."
Scott was not content to be

just working on the railway in those days. He decided to build a tourist resort as well. He a tourist resort as well. He worked for many months on the edge of the river after first building a road into his property from McMaster Bridge down to the river near Kellogg Bridge. Then he constructed a half dozen cabins by hand, including a huge log lodge. Guests would come from Detroit and included many doctors, a judge and others who came to enjoy the 'wilderness' and do some fish-

ing.
The visitors would use one of the many small cabins and have

inches thick. There are hardwood floors and in one corner is a huge stone and brick fire-place. His wife would do all the cooking and at times up to 30 guests stayed at the lodge.

Many people at that stage

life would have been content to ease up a bit, but not the ambitious northerner. Instead he got sick and went into the peach business.

The couple were on their way to Florida after closing up the lodge for the winter when Mr. Scott became ill while going through Alabama. He spent almost two weeks in the hospital and after his recuperation was over, went on to Florida.

"Florida was too built up and I did not like it at all," he said. "So we packed up and went back up to the exact place in Alabama where I was sick and we ended up buying a 154 acre farm. We thought it would be just a nice place to spend the winter with nice woods and a garden to grow some flowers in for our enjoyment."

Like the best laid plans of many people that was not the way it went. "Everyone was talking about planting and growing peaches. So I set out 30 acres and then went back and forth from Michigan to check up on them from time to time. The second year after he planted the trees he had a good crop which pleased the couple very much. since many people had warned them that the task of growing peaches was not ground on which amateurs should tread."I had never farmed anything in my life but I was always interested in fruit growing. People told me that even the profes-sionals have a lot of trouble in

making a go of it," he said.
The third year after he planted his trees even the experts were looking to the Michigan peach grower with envious eyes, since in the peach growing contest that year he had entered a bushel of his best fruit. After the judges had completed their examination of all the baskets the top prize went to the man who had just gotten into the business, and Mr. Scott was from that time established as a

reputable fruit grower.

Before he gave up his orchards. Scott said he had 7,000 fruit bearing trees planted and for many years he grew peaches commercially. Then he decided it was time to slow down a bit and has now retired. He spends his winters in Alabama and a few months at their cabin. He fishes occasionally but not too often any more. "I used to love to fish the South Branch and I went over there last year with my grandson. Well, we sat there and watched over 125 canoes go by in two hours and we gave up

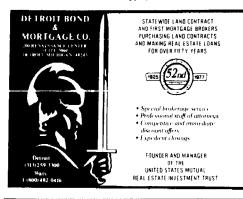
in disgust and came home.
Sitting on the front porch of his cabin he points to the North Branch and says he is happy the canoers use it rarely. He is however very content with his long and colorful life and said as the interview was ending that he was very pleased with the way things have gone and said he has already gotten more from life than many other people. His life has given him a lot of satisfaction. "I have lived very



PAST MEMORIES COME ALIVE—Austin J. Scott and his wife Ruth hold one of many paintings done by Mr. Scott during the past few years. His early years as a young man in the Michigan lumber camps left him with vivid memories that he carried with him until he began to paint. Those scenes became the material that inspired



AUSTIN J. SCOTT in the logging camps of the early 1900's





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From Our Corner...

Once again, the Crawford AuSable Board of Education will be asking the voters in the district to provide the millage in order for the school doors to be opened this year.

In order for the school goors to be opened this year.

In the June election, voters turned down the operating millage proposal by six votes, while defeating two other millage requests by a 2 to 1 margin.

As we think about it ... seven NO votes in June has cost the district between \$2.500 and \$3,000 (non-educational) to

again ask the electorate to please furnish us with the money to educate your children.

Taxation — no one wants — especially those on a fixed income, or those who may own a lot of idle property, or those. like myself, who are trying to get ready for the day of

We can understand the feelings of the voters in the June election — only for two-thirds, that is. Not for the defeat of something that already existed.

We all know something drastically has to be done in the

financing of our entire state's school system.

May we suggest those in opposition to the present way of school financing start bombarding your state representa-tives and senators in Lansing to come up with a solution. instead of taking your wrath out on your local school board and school administration.

The other day we also heard those in command of the school system were trying to sneak through a five year plan for the operational millage. The sneak play, if true (you have to be out of your tree to believe it) I go along with their

What this would mean is that children in the school district are assured that the schools will open at least for the next five years ... teachers in the system would not be given pink slips in the spring with anticipation possibly of employment in fall ... a saving in the cost of elections each year ... plus, if there is extra millage needed, the need for it would have to be proven — at least the doors would not be

For those interested, we are going to vote for education.

After reading last month where the Board of Commissioners had retained a law firm of Clary et al. at \$150 per month, we held back any comment in case they may have rescinded the motion this month.

Then we thought, possibly Crawford County does not have a Prosecuting Attorney to handle the affairs of the county, but then we met our Prosecutor in the county building last week which brought another incident to mind concerning our county legal advisor.

Seems as now — and this goes back quite a few years — the county, then the Board of Supervisors were going to prosecute an individual, and when they approached the attorney found out he had been retained by the defendant.

The board went out of the county to hire an attorney to In our opinion, both incidents were assinine

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Do you need transportation to Kirtland this year? If you do, we at CRAWFORD COUNTY PUBLIC TRANSIT, are contemplating serving Kirtland College again this year, if the demand is great enough to warrant sending a bus.

If any of the residents of Crawford County are interested, please call 348-5409 and we will be happy to explain how the bus system will work.

Hurry though, time is running out and we would like to set the route up as soon as possible.

CALL 348-5409 FOR MORE INFORMATION!

THANK YOU CRAWFORD COUNTY PUBLIC TRANSIT

Interesting Events in **Grayling 23 Years Ago**

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

The Harold Skingley Weld-

ing Shop has just installed

an electrical welding apparatus. This is the first in

Grayling, in fact, the first

employed by the State Con-

servation Department in Lan-

the home of his mother, Mrs.

Celia Granger. Mrs. William McNeven and

daughter, Nadine, are spending a few days in Lansing.

Emmaneul and Leo of De-

troit, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E.

Hendirckson over the week-

69 YEARS AGO

August 27, 1908

wife of Judge, were in the

city Friday and Saturday. They are optimistic as ever

as to the future of this

this week for her new home.

for a while at least, in Galesburg, III. She will bear with her the best wishes of

hosts of friends, who regret

William Granger of New

Orleans has been visiting his

relatives, the Corwin family

here this week Mrs Corwin

will accompany him on his

way home as far as Noxe-

visit her through the winter.

by the arrival of our nephew,

W. B. Palmer of Pittsburg

done by a mason from Sa-

Par For

The Course

By Fay Bovee In Flight A for the Wednesday morning Golf Auxiliary. Corrine Smith copped all three tows with a gross of 42, a net of 34.

and putts of 13. She also scored

a bird on number 5. Mary Pettengill and Pearl Tucker both

chipped in on number 1.
In Flight B. Ann DuBois took

low gross with 49. Kay Ellen Juntilla took low net with a 34, and Ann DuBois also put in only

In Flight C Phyllis Schee

took all three lows. low gross of 55, low net of 36 and low putts of 16, however she had to share

low net of 36 with Donna Denton and low putts with Marian Joseph with 16. Flight B served the potluck

luncheon which was followed

by a short business meeting. President's Day is all set for August 29 with a morning of golf. Flight A is in charge of

Flight B and C will furnish the

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luncheon activities and

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her leaving

Mrs. E. Sparks will start

C. F. Underhill and

Sam Johnson and sons

George Granger, who is

north of Bay City.

23 YEARS AGO

August 26, 1954 Miss Shirley Hoerl returned to Saginaw Sunday evening after spending a two week vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoeri. She had as her quest the past weekend the Misses Maureen Majeska and Pat Fetters of Bay City and Bob Mueller of Saginaw

The Robert Wakeleys were in Bay City the past weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Al Eichinger.
Mr. and Mrs. Whitey Madsen and Toni and Dane spent Sunday in Boyne City visiting his mother, Mrs. Carl Madsen, who is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Hubert Manglos and family

Mrs. Leslie Hunter and daughters and Julie Hunter and her niece. Carol Ann Dreyer of Davidson spent Wednesday of last week in

Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Welch and children of Riverdale, Michigan were over - night guests last Wednesday of his brother. Les Welch and

Miss Janet Chappel of Harper Woods left Sunday, August 15th after spending a two week vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sigurd Reetz. Eugene Barcznski of Detroit drove to Grayling and spent the weekend of the 14th with the Heetzes, drivng Miss Janet back to Harper Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kellogg and sons of Utica arrived last Thursday and spent until Saturday visiting some friends here. They took a cance trip down the AuSable while here. Mr. Kellogg is a former Grayling teacher.

Miss Patsy Wiseman left

Thursday night in company with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jenkins of Kalkaska, for a week or so of tishing in Canada.

Guests Monday of last

week at the A. J. Joseph home were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunwoodie and children. Bobby and Carol of Grosse Pointe. Mr. Dunwoodie is a nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert

Swanson and family of St. Ignace visited his sister. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Atkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gross on Wednesday and Thursday of last week. They were en route to Grand Rapids where they plan on visiting other relatives.

46 YEARS AGO August 27, 1931

Twin calves were born at the farm of P. L. Brown Monday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Brown discovered the new arrivals when they went to do their morning milking.

Mrs. Kiolhede entertained the members of the Danish Ladies Aid Society at her cottage at Lake Margrethe last Thursday afternoon. The ladies enjoyed the outing very much.

Mr and Mrs. Walter R. Mikesell of Washington, D. returned home last week after spending a couple of weeks visiting the latter's mother. Mrs. Louise Ireland at her summer home on the AuSable They made the trip here by auto from Washing-ton in 22 hours - the distance is nearly 800 miles.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peck are spending a few days at Lake Margrethe with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright at the Burton cottage.

Guests of Mrs. Minnie Hartley the past week included Mr. Lee Hartley, Mrs. Hattie Kaiser of Bay City, Mrs. William Schreiber of Forson, and Mrs. Fred Balmore of St. Clair Shores.

G. A. Kraus of Chicago joined his family at Lake Margrethe the last of the week to enjoy an outing. He is also visiting his brother Emil Krause and busy shaking hands with his old

Mr. and Mrs. George Scha-Auto-Owners ible and son, George Jr.
spent the weekend in Lansing, guests of Mrs. Schaible's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher, Miss Beverly Schaible, who has spent a month in Detroit and Lan-Insurance Agency sing, returned home with

Mrs. Matilda Foley Bishop 120 Michigan Avenue returns to Shaker Heights. Grayling, Michigan Phone 348-3631 Cleveland, Ohio, Saturday to resume her duties as Principal of Ludlow School.

The Bible Speaks III From Calvary Baptist Church IIII

Seal Six Rev. 6:12-17

Opening the sixth seal of Revelation six, we observe the increased intensity of God's wrath upon a rebellious people who have openly defied and rejected Him. in verses 12-14 we read of the terrible earthquake. the light of the sun and moon blocked out plunging the earth into darkness, The destruction of many of the stars of Heaven, the moving of earthly terrain such as mountains, rivers and islands, all resulting in a total sing spent the weekend at change in the physical appear ance of the heavens and earth Along with this we can imagine the ear splitting noise of this catastrophic event, along with the terrible smell of molden gases released through the earth's crust. What an indescribable nightmare of horror yet awaits this entire earth and all

> Christ as God and Savior Notice that men of all walks of life shall seek to hide from God's wrath. "And the kings of the earth, and the great men, and the rich men, and the chief captains, and the mighty men, and every bondman, and every free man, hid themselves in the dens and in the rocks of the mountains; And said to the mountains and rocks, Fall on us, and hide us from the face of him that sitteth on the throne, and from the wrath of the Lamb," Rev. 6:15.16.

who refuse to accept Jesus

Self-sufficient kings of political leaders shall cry out in fear. Great men of wisdom shall also cry out. Rich men will find their wealth of no benefit and begin to pray. Soldiers and mighty men of war will crawl helplessly into the dens. All unsaved men of all classes from slaves to the free men shall cry out in fear as they realize that "the great day of his wrath is come; and who shall be able to stand?" Rev 6:17.

pater. Tenn., where her daughter, now Mrs. Celia Granger, resides, and will This description of the future reaction of the unsaved world to The Editorial home was God's judgment gives us much insight into the evil, rebellious gladdened Monday evening nature of man's heart. Notice that none of them were willing to repent of their sins which He is pleasantly surprised by brought about their terrible sufthe many improvements in fering. None of them were willing to bow upon their knees and ask Jesus Christ to forgive our village since he was here Dr. Underhill of Lovells is them and enter their hearts. putting the material on the None of them were praying to God to give them eternal file. They prayed to the rocks and mountains rather than to the ground for a house and barn for his tenant. He is also having a fireplace built in his mansion. The work is being God who created the entire universe. They prayed for death to separate them from the face

of God, yet death would only bring them face to face with God in eternal judgment. This gives us some picture of why men who rebel against God must spend eternity in Hell.

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SALE-1970 Duster cylinder, stick, new exhaust, mechanically sound, some rust, new battery, two snow tires, good transportation \$550.00. Call after 4 p.m. 348-

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FOR SALE-1976 Dodge Van Tradesman, B200, must sell, make offer, 348-5819. 18-25

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Mi. 517/482-1637. Home 517-351-2296. -25-FOR SALE—By owner, two par-cels of land, 21/2 and 3 acres, beautiful sites for building or mobile home. Utilities, mail route available, school bus \$250.00 down. \$60.00 pe month. Total price \$3,995.00 each, discount with cash Phone 275-8491. 25-1

FOR SALE-R.C. Allen cash register, pressure cooker canner, twin car speakers, 84-cup percolater, sewing machine, tire F78-15. Call 348-8125. -25

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18-25

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-25-WANTED-Used 6 ft. aluminum sliding patio door and screen 348-5016. 25

FOR SALE-8 ft. axle with new tires and tongue, \$75. Also a tandem axle, \$30. 348-5016

HELP WANTED-Male or female. Part-time cashier. 348-7331. -25-WILL BABYSIT in my home. weekdays. Call Sherry Bor amie, 348-5333. 25FREDERIC Centennial Books: They are available at Cross
Country Corner General Store the Frederic Inn, Helen OI son, or Tom Kimball. The price is \$5. Anyone who would like a copy sent to them may mail a check for \$5.50 to Merna Newberry, R. #1, Box 392, Frederic, Mi. 49733. Allow three weeks for delivery. The .50c is for post-age & handling. ___25-1-8 age & handling.

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\$8,500.00 OR NEXT reasonable

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beaver board, beaded tongue

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exterior doors with hardware

& trim & jambs, 560 board ft. 6 x 8's, pine sheeting, narrow pine siding, approx, 55 # nails, old, but good, electri-

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Thursday, August 25, 1977

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2, or 3-room, furnished, utili-ties paid, color TV, coin

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provided if desired, across

from hospital. Ph 348-4641. 25-1

FOR SALE-1977 Buick LeSa-

bre 4-dr. Executive car in ex-cellent condition. Silver ex-

terior, red vinyl interior. Air conditioned, power steering. power brakes, has automatic

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Sept. 15. Call 348-7626., ext. 238. 8/25tf

tions now being taken. Apply in person only. San Sheri Restaurant. 8/25tf

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rea is taking applications for winter employment. Full time and weekends. Male and fe-male. Secretary, cashlers, ski

male. Secretary, cashiers, and fitters, two operators, main-tenance. Apply at Skyline, 6 miles south of Grayling, off Old 27. Call 275-5445. 25-1

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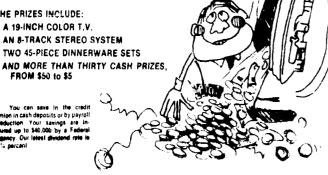
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Frederic Centennial **Presentations**

Batterson family historian, was the Master of Ceremonies. He Royal Family that were present. They were Centennial King, Kenneth Newberry: Centennial Queen, Merna Newberry; one of the court. Candy Alma and Prince Maurice Alma, Jr. Our Citizen of the Year, Rose Ann Armstrong Owens, and our Senior Citizen baby picture con-

test winner, Fred Dunckley.

Our Citizen of the Year, Rose Ann Owens, was presented with a document from Joseph G Bertrand, City Treasurer of Chicago, Illinois, and our Centen-nal Queen, Merna Newberry, was presented with a document from Michael A. Bilandic, Mayor of Chicago, Illinois, It was their expression of congratulations on Frederic, Michigan's Cen-tennial. These presentations were read and accepted gratefully in behalf of all the people of Frederic and the Frederic Historical Society Archives in which they have been placed.

Our special guest was Forrest E. Cooke. Space Historian of the Jackson Community Col-lege. Wellington W. Batterson presented Mr. Cooke with the book, "Marvelous Wonders of the Whole World," which had been owned by Levant Bangs in 1886. It was at Mr. Bang's request that this book be passed on to some worthy descendant of the family. Mr. Cooke accepted this book in behalf of our astronaut. Alfred M. Worden, of Apollo 15, who was the command module pilot

of that flight in July, 1971.
This special presentation was made at the Frederic Centennial because of the heritage and lineage that ties Alfred M. Worden to our little town of Frederic. The special editions, that were donated to our Frederic Historical Society by Wellington Batterson and Forrest E Cooke, also were greatly appre-

Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee
The office of the Grayling
Elementary School will be open
every day starting on Monday,
August 22, for the two weeks previous to the opening of

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Mathews of Sorrento, Fla., are spending two weeks here visit-ing his mother, Mrs. Pearl Mathews. who has been hospitalized.

Loren Goodale, Jr. would like to remind everyone that the Home Safety sheets can still be handed in at the Bakery. He would appreciate getting more

Because of the fire at the Michelson Memorial Church, the Dice garage sale is being held this Friday, Saturday and Sunday in order that the Dice children may donate all the profits to the church rebuilding

Editor's Mailbox

Dear Editor

I feel it is necessary that I comment about my discussion with the city council in view of the distortion printed in the council minutes last week. Re-gardless of council's opinion a \$4.75 charge for late payment is

City governments are organ-ized to provide benefits to residents that they cannot indivi-dually provide by themselves. Providing water service can be one of those benefits. Putting a large charge on a late payment is a punishment which is a court's area of jurisdiction in our system of government. On my water bill \$4.75 amounted to 23.5%. That is a rather high rate

The city water billing policy says this charge may be assess-ed as a shut-off and a turn-on charge when ordered because of non-payment of bill. Nowhere in the policy does it even mention a late payment charge. I went to the council to protest the charge, not just on me, but on anyone who happens to be late for any one of a number of reasons. I am sure there are people in town who find it difficult paying their bill, let alone such a high penalty. Liust

forgot about mine.

Mr. Golnick referred to me requesting council to change the due date which I don't feel has any bearing on this situa-tion. The old policy was to allow 10 days from the date of mail-ing, regardless of when the bill was received, before it became overdue. This meant that at times people who were on a two-week pay period got their bill after one pay and had to pay it before the next one. Council did not change the

procedure and probably won't unless more people express their opinions to council or

council members.
Arthur R. Thayer

THANK YOU

I would like to thank flev dedication service for the Memorial Cross for our husband and people who made the cross

> Heilen Clippert and Billyann Brown and family

IT'S LONG PAST TIME **TO FIND** A MORE EQUITABLE METHOD TO FINANCE SCHOOL SYSTEMS

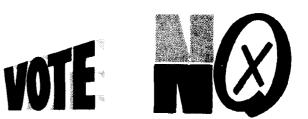
OWNERSHIP OF HOMES & PROPERTY NO LONGER IS AN INDICATION OF A PERSON'S ABILITY TO PAY!

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Two former Grayling Viking gridiron speedsters will be on opposite sides of the field Oct. 15th when Saginaw Valley State College takes on Grand Valley State College in a Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Contest at Allendale.

Cliff Bonamie and Will Roach while wearing the colors of the Vikings were outstanding running backs, and both received all-conference and all-state re-

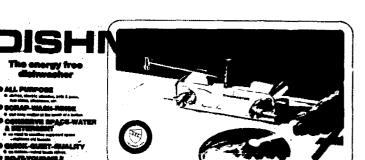
cognition.

Bonamie, resumes his halfback position with the Saginaw Valley Cardinals as a junior this year, while Roach will be entering college football for the first time with the Grand Valley squad as a backfield noperul.

Both players are enrolled with athletic scholarships.

THANK YOU

A very special thank you to everyone who was so nice to me while I was in the hospital and recuperating at home.
Sincerely, Chuck Bonamie









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Long Boats

[Continued from page 1] the river for a long time to

come.

He sat in his beautifully restored craft Saturday morning before heading downstream and said. "There are very few of these boats being inade any more. Every once in awhile a few more are made each year by a small handful of dwindling craftsmen, but it is becoming dying art. The nice thing about it is that someone always comes along and keeps up the

Tradition is what the regatta is all about since many of the boats are not only beautiful but some are quite old as well. The award for the oldest boat went to Herb Stephan for his sleek

beauty built in 1931.

Binards boat gently tugs at the rope holding it to the shore as the currents of the river pull it along. It almost seems to strain to be set free so it can float along. One is reminded of a bird dog prancing with anticipation as the leaves turn in the fall and its master pulls the gun from the cabinet and gets out his

hunting clothes.

Binards boat is a monument to the long and careful art of building that originally created the graceful curves and tapering lines of the craft. It is at the same time a tribute to hours of painstaking upkeep and recon-struction that went into the finished product on display Saturday morning following a year of refinishing.

It glistens with polished brass and warm glowing wood. The first thing you notice are the distinctive seats. They are reminiscent of the well-made white ash snowshoes rarely found today. The seats are made of double hoops of steamed curved white ash laced with rawhide to form the support. Beneath each seat are tucked carefully made wooden drawers to hold flies and other tackle. Trout at the top of a burst from the water are captured in cut-out sillouhettes in the wood. A perfectly fitted and highly polished brass bow fitting glistens in the sun. Flyrods sit in carefully formed rod racks on the side of the boat.

This annual event we hope will always keep the interest in riverboats alive and grow each year." says Binard.

After the boats finished their

float down the river, the participants pulled out at Jim's Canoe Livery where roasted sweet corn, hot dogs and assorted dishes were warming by the

Judges for the awards were Larry and Joan Mattis and Don Feldhauser They handed out two glistening trophies to the top fishermen as well as the boat awards. The prize for the largest brook trout went to Sharon Simpson for her 814 inch trout and Mike Wieland picked up the prize for the largest brown trout after landing a 13-inch beauty, it was a titting finish for a line day.

Alumni News

By Clara Sorenson

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Our next Board meeting will
be on Tuesday, September 6, at
the Administration building.
Anyone having a request or
suggestion or grouch ? Send
out to us and we will discuss

Congratulations to the Class 72. It was a remarkable turnout for their first. Our Secretary, Mary Hunter Blaauw was part of that class. Thanks for info received about some of the persons

listed last week. Bill Harrison 32 will be here for Homecoming and hopes he will see a lot of his friends.

Just for kicks — remember

the basketball team of '30-'31? Coach La Vere Cushman, Jack LaGrow '33, Art Pankow '31, Robert Sorenson '35, Floyd San Cartier '33. Norman Dawson '33, Ken Gothro '33. Karl Sherman '31. Bill Harrison '32, Reginald Sheehy '35. I am looking at the picture as I write this

Mercy **Hospital News**

The following are among those admitted to the hospital during the past week. Joann Yoder, Margaretrose Decker. Stephen Fling, Steven CdeBaca, Margaret Kucharek, Cathy Potter, Jane Commons, Evelyn Sorenson and Sally Hartig, all of Grayling: and Carolyn De-moines of Frederic.

Those released from the hos-

pital included Winifred Poll Isac Filiott, Margaretrose Deck er, Susan Crawford and baby. Katherine Funck, Barbara Norton and Stephen Fling, all of Grayling: Nancy Bindschatel and baby. Carolyn Demoines and Florence Leng, all of Fred-

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kucharek of Grayling are the proud parents of a son, Bryce Patrick

He was born August 18 and weighed 7 lbs. 1½ ozs. A daughter, Lisa Renee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Truman Potter of Grayling on August 19 weighing 6 lbs. 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fultz of

St. Helen announce the arrival of a son, Paul Everett, on August 19 weighing 6 lbs. ½ oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKee, Jr., of Roscommon are happy over the arrival of a daughter, Robin Terese, on August 20. She weighed 8 lbs. 31/4 ozs. at

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BY WALT NOWAK **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

May 9th will always be a day for me to remember, for it was the first day on the job at the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce, and a new challenge to assist and co-ordinate the activities of the community for the good of the people.

Much has happened since that day. I remember the advice of the officers and Board of Directors who said to take it easy, get acquainted, get the feel of the community, listen, listen, listen. This I have done and I have found people of many interests. I find people who are gung-ho for the expansion of the business district; some want to increase tourism; some want to invite and develop more of an industrial climate to stabilize the economy; some want to have the taxes lowered; and some just don't want anything to happen. Leave well enough alone, they say. With these kinds of opinions it's difficult to exert some effort in a particular direction without first weighing the potential results and who will benefit from the effort. The Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will take a public stand on the issue according to the wishes of the

At any rate, the Chamber of Commerce is the catalyst of the county in bringing together the people involved in planning the future of Crawford County and its people. The Chamber works closely with the National Guard all through the year. Especially during encampments of the Guards from Ohio, Michigan, Indiana and Wisconsin. The Chamber hosts a special reception for the Outstanding Soldier from each of these encampments and presents the recipient with gifts from the business community. Another local effort was made possible through the generosity of these six members; Grayling State Bank, Holiday Inn, Grayling Restaurant, Mei Nieisen, Cornell Realty & Insurance, and Fred Bear: bought six rowboats for the use by the Guardsmen during their stay at camp to do some fishing. The maintenance of these boats are in charge of Post Commander Col. Rutkowski's staff.

Another very important facet of our economic livelihood is the

tourist. It used to be that most of the business in our shopping area was done during the three months of summer. June. July and August. The traveling public, such as the sightseer, vacationer and summer resident dropped a bundle in our community because they liked it here. With advent of snowmobiles, cross country skiing and the winter weekends, carnivals, etc., the business barometer on the charts, no longer shows peaks and valleys, but a more steady cash flow as is indicated by bank deposits. The Grayling area now boasts an all year around economy. The responsibility of the Chamber in this instance is to attract the tourist to our area and

The attractions for the tourist are many, thanks to the spirited citizens of our community ... just for instance, 20 Stages Raily. Milltown Festival, 4th of July Celebration. World's Greatest Canoe Marathon, White Pine Stampede, Color Tours, Small Game Hunting, Red Coat Roundup, Winter Carnival, Cross Country Skiing, Fishing and every winter vieekend Snowmobiling, and always, tours of Camp Grayling.

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Special Announcement to the Residents of Northern Michigan

The Morthern Michigan Health Systems Agency will be holding Public Hearings on a Draft Health Systems Plan for the following counties of Michigan Health Service Area Seven: Alcona, Alpena, Antrim, Benzie, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Crawford, Emmet, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Leelanau, Manistee, Missaukee, Montmorency, Oscoda, Otsego, Presque Isle, and Wexford.

The Plan identifies several Goals, target objectives and recommended actions for health care development in the Area. A limited number of copies of the Draft of the Health Systems Plan will be available after September 7, 1977. For further information contact the Agency office at:

> Horthern Michigan Health Systems Agency Hellywood Building 325 E. Lake Street Petoskey, Michigan

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The Public Hearings are an important step in the planning process both for the completion of the plan with additional public input as well as an opportunity for public evaluation as a first step in a revision of the established Plan. Therefore. all residents of Northern Michigan are encouraged to participate in the hearings. For those who cannot attend, written comments will be accepted at the Agency's office through September 30, 1977.

The following are the times and locations of the Public Hearings:

Alpena: September 19, 1977

Alpena Chamber of Commerce 105 Prentiss Alpena, Michigan

7:00 to 10:00 p.m. Cadillac: September 20, 1977

Municipal Complex 200 Lake Cadillac, Michigan 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

Grayling: September 21, 1977 Michigan Consolidated Gas Co 2500 I-75 Business Loop

Grayling, Michigan

7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

7:00 to 10:00 p.m. Manistee:

September 21, 1977 Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. 180 Memorial Drive

Petoskey: September 20, 1977 North Central Michigan College

Potoskey, Michigan

Manistee, Michigan 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

Traverse City: September 19, 1977

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Traverse City Polka Fest To Benefit Polish Cultural Center

Dr. Arnold Sarya, prominent Traverse City Orthodontist, and owner of the 5000 seat Glacier Dome in Traverse, has announced the first annual Traverse City Polka Fest to be held on August 27 and September 9, to benefit the Polish Cultural Center to be created in Hamtramck, Michigan, a suburb of Detroit. The olish American Folk Theatre PAFT) is the driving force hehind the establishment of the enter Part Lof the Polka Fest on August 27, is an "All Day"

affair, beginning at 4:00 in the afternoon and going until 1:00 a.m. Featured on the show will be the Polish Kid, Don Cialk oszewski from Toledo, Ohio: Frank Piotrowski and the Polka Towners from Muskegon, and Norm Edlebeck and his Dairyland Dutchmen from Wausaukee, Wisconsin.

Also appearing will be the Bialy Mazur Dance Group and the famous Galicia Dancing Ensemble under the direction of Michael Krolewski of Ham ramck. Michael is also presi-

On September 9, Part 2 of the Polka Fest will feature Ameri-ca's Polka King, Frank Yankovic along with the Galicia Dancing Ensemble. In addition to the bands and dancing and refresh-ment booths, PAFT will set up booths to exhibit Polish cos-tumes and Polish folk art. According to the Detroit Free Press in an article by staff writer Carol Stocker, August 8, 1977. "PAFT is classical in its devotion to historical authenticity Krolewski studied Polish Folk Culture and Dance under mas-ters in Poland for eight months

and is a perfectionist.

"Demanding, for instance, that each song the Troupe Choir sings is not only in Polish, but in correct dialect for the region and era of the song's origin. In fact, PAFT members are promoting not their own Polish-American Culture, or even Mod-ern Polish Culture, but the Peasant Culture of a time and place far removed from their

own lives.

"PAFT encourages participation by people from all ethnic backgrounds, and over 30 per cent of its membership, and its dances, represent non-Polish nationalities."

Lovells News

by Ruth CaidMrs. Dorothy Orr and Mrs.
Jane Commons are patients at Mercy Hospital. We wish them a

eady recovery. Mrs. Emma Eckert returned to her home in California after spending several weeks with her brother and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Caid. Twenty-six ladies of our com-

munity joined the Senior Citizens on their mystery trip on Wednesday.

Mrs. Marilyn Reason of Neb.

and Mrs. Beverly McKinney of Georgia visited their mother. Mrs. Edith Maki. Eric Koernke and Jim Rogers

of Florida visited relatives here

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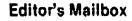
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August 17, 1977 To the Editor of the Crawford Co. Avalanche Dear Sir:

We would like to express our neartfelt thanks to all those people who offered assistance when our nephew, Greg Mansfield, was badly injured in an accident August 13.

A very special thank you to the unidentified fireman for his aid, the Sheriff's Dept., Grayling City Police and the Ambulance Drivers, also the staff in the Emergency Room, and Northern Ambulance Services. We feel that because of the

prompt and efficient way the emergency was handled. Greg's life was saved.

Crawford County can be very roud to have such dedicated . men and women in their service Very sincerely. Mr. and Mrs. Al Kazmierczak Vienna, Virginia Mr. and Mrs. Jay Mansfield Ferndale, Mich. Mrs. Naomi Kelly

The Frederic **Historical Society**

Grayling, Mich

The Frederic Historical Society would like to thank all who helped to make our Centennial Book, a success, both by the work of and those who parti-

cipated with information.

Photographs are now starting to be returned to the owners. Please allow 3 weeks as many of the pictures are being processed for the Historica

TO ATTEND ALMA ORIENTATION

ALMA—Among the 350 Alma College freshmen who begin an orientation program on the mid-Michigan campus on Saturday, September 3, is Melinda K. Bancroft of Grayling. During the orientation period she and other Alma freshmen

also will be introduced to the college's innovative career pre-paration program, which inte-grates liberal arts education with career planning and counseling to help students develop entry-level work skills. Each student who elects to partici-pate in the program works with a career preparation advisor to prepare a plan for the develop-ment and evaluation of his or

her personal career interests. Miss Bancroft, a graduate of Grayling High School is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bancroft of Grayling.

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PRODUCT OF LOCAL TA-LENT—The cast-bronze sculp-ture called "Torso" shown a-bove was created by Paul Mauren of Ypsilanti, and graces the public library garden in Ann Arbor. An excerpt from the Ann Arbor News states. "The sim-ple, flowing lines of this piece. and its interesting use of nega-

for viewers of any age."

Mauren, formerly of Grayling, graduated from high school here. He earned his BA degree and Masters from Eastern Michigan University. Paul is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mauren of Grayling.

Frederic Centennial Award Winners

The AuSable Woodworking Company was recognized for their roll in the community. This family - owned company cele-brated their 50 years in business in Frederic, having started here in 1927. The state of Michigan made recognition to the owners and their wives. Gene and Joan Kaiser, Jim and Martha Madili. Albert and Norma Madill. The Albert and Norma Madill. The special award of recognition was presented to Albert and Norma Madili by our Centennial Queen. Merna Newberry, on behalf of Ralph Ostling, representative of the 103rd District. We are the "Souvenir Plaque Capitol of the World."

Prizes were given out for the best-decorated bikes, the best entries in the olivination.

entries in the old-fashioned dress contests, and gate prizes

were also awarded.
Winner of the \$500 bond was Jamie Kaiser, winner of the \$200 bond was Chuck Stoddard and winner of the \$100 bond was Bob Smock, Sr.

Prizes were given out thruout our centennial and were provided by our business people. clubs and individuals.

Our parade was once again one to be proud of with many beautiful entries.

Thanks to all who participal-

ed, gave, or helped in any way to make our Centennial a success.

Millikin Reunion

The 21st annual Millikin re-The 21st annual Millikin re-union which usually meets at the Hartwick Pines State Park, was held Sunday. August 7, 1977, at the Mabel Millikin cottage at Lake Margrethe, due to the rain. The rain subsided after the

picnic and all were able to get outside and enjoy a sunny afternoon of visiting, playing volleyball, and swimming.

There were 110 descendants of William and Helen Millikin and five guests present.

E. (Curley) Warner, huscand of Helen Millikin Warner, of Mt Myers. Florida, was presented a gift for being the oldest gentleman and Mabel Millikin, hife of the late Jack Millikin, was given a gift as the oldest lady present. However, due to an error in calculating the ladies ages, a gift was presented late to Julia Millikin, wife of Ralph Millikin. It seems that Julia should have received the honor accorded to Mabel

Little Curt Abrahamson, one and one-half month old son of Ross and Emily Abrahamson, of Traverse City, Michigan, was given a gift for being the newest addition to the Millikin family, Kay Leslie of Mio, Michigan,

made a banner for the family to be displayed each year at the site of the reunion location. It turned out to be a lovely day and was enjoyed by all the family as an opportunity to see the relatives and to keep contact

with each other.

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Two Cents Worth....



By Rod Denley
It's not often that I can sit here with too many things to write about since usually it's the other way around.

Whitey says he is going to hit on the education issue so that eliminates one of the things on my mind which brings me to 'B' and that stands for Blind and the kids who impressed me so much last week at Camp AuSahle week at Camp AuSable.

week at Camp AuSable.

The National Guard in one of the many community minded projects they carry out, had landed a big chopper in there for the kids to check out. They hear them flying every day and were very curious about them. I went along to take some pictures and learned that blind kids are pretty amazing.

They just swarmed over that chopper and the questions they asked would fill a book. If you thought those kids were blind, then you could never come up with an adjective to describe my ignorance about their abilities.

They got to that flying machine and their hands and ears took

ignorance about their abilities.
They got to that flying machine and their hands and ears took over. Every nook and cranny, switch and dial was explored. They climbed up and around and over and through. In a few seconds I could not believe those kids were anything less than a normal burch of venerables. bunch of youngsters.

The Guardsmen did an admirable job of answering the detailed The Guardsmen dig an admirable job of answering the detailed and knowledgeable questions and made sure every kid got a chance to experience everything

What impressed me was kids climbing up and down like monkeys. They would even get to a doorway and just jump for the ground. It was eerie at first but soon I relaxed and chuckled with the other spectators as the kids kept the Guardsmen hustling to keep up with them.

up with them.
If we could feel as much with our hands as those kids, we would have a whole new world opened up to us. It is truely an experience. A wise man once said that, "You never get anywhere else until you leave where you are at now."

else until you leave where you are at now."

One of the finest ways to bring a new dimension to your life is to find yourself in a new set of circumstances. If you have been dragging along in a rut lately, volunteer to help on some program such as this and you will find out that you will probably end up receiving a lot more than you ever believed you could give. Whitey says we are tight so have a nice week and don't forget to yote.



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Flakiest

Michigan Supreme Court offers half-decision in Del Rio case

Richard Milliman

One of the more unrealistic judgments by any court of the land in recent days is the decision by the Michigan Supreme Court in the case of James Del Rio, the suspended judge of Detroit Recorder's Court.

Veteran court-watchers on all levels local, state and federal - might differ on whether the Del Rio decision was really the strangest of all; that's why I don't claim the ultimate for the Del Rio case. There are just too many contestants for the title of flakiest court decision, but you'd have to include the Del Rio judgment in any competition.

Consider the facts of the case. James Del Rio, a former Michigan state legislator, was elected to the Detroit bench in 1972, shortly after he achieved his law degree. Some of his judicial tactics attracted attention, and, in due course, he was suspended in September of 1976, and subsequently was found guilty of 23 charges of judicial misconduct by the Michigan Judicial Tenure Commission. The fact-finder in the case. State Appellate Judge Timothy Quinn, concluded that Judge Del Rio was "legally, tempermentally and morally unfit to hold any judicial

Among the charges against Del Ric that he improperly returned \$40,000 in forfeited bail bonds to a Detroit bonding agency; that he was consistently rude to court nersonnal witnesses and attorneys; that he coerced defendants into pleading guilty with promises of probation; that he disregarded state laws, court rules and guidelines for judicial conduct: that he improperly used his office to benefit friends, including fixing traffic tickets: that he conducted himself in a partial and improper manner; and that he displayed gross lack of judicial temper-

In fact. Judge Quinn found, if Del Rio's "record of misconduct were divided equally among 10 judges, there would be enough evidence to warrant removal of each of them.

Whew! Now that's pretty severe criticism of one of the bulwarks of our democracy, to wit, a duly elected judge of a court of record.

In essence, the Michigan Supreme Court agreed when it took up its role in the Michigan system of judicial reprimand. On the returned \$40,000 in bond

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money, for example, the Supreme Court said that "the unlawful and clandestine method" in which the situation was handled by Del Rio was "clearly partial and improper.

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Continued the state's highest court: "Judge Del Rio forgot he was chosen by the people to be their servant. On an habitual basis he forgot to be reasonable and courteous with persons having business with his judicial office.

"The canons of ethics and code of judicial conduct set fair standards for judicial temperament: Judge Del Rio repeatedly chose to violate them. Judge Del Rio, a master of intimidation, displays through his bizarre behavior a gross lack of judicial temperament.

"Looking beyond all the technical legal issues, we perceive the real issue in this case to be the preservation of the integrity of the legal system.

Now, good citizens, how would you like to have a guy like that running a trial in which your freedom or your property or even your life might be at stake? You wouldn't, right? Right. And so ruled the Michigan Supreme Court.

At least, for the next five years. With "the preservation of the integrity of the legal system" at stake, the Michigan Supreme Court suspended Judge Del Rio from his job, and barred him from holding another major judicial post for five years. That's what I call a slap on

Notice, it did not completely remove Del Rio this "master of intimidation" who displays "bizarre behavior;" it suspended him, which means he is a judge on suspension ... with no pay, thank goodness. But it also means that the post is not vacant, and therefore the Detroit Recorder's bench is one judge short. It also means Del Rio can run for another term on the court - or run for any other job. including the Michigan Supreme Court — and if elected, he could don his robe and judge his cases after a five year lapse.

The Michigan Supreme Court blew it. The decision is a half-decision, not a full-scale decision. Del Rio is off the hench, but he isn't. He's out as a judge, but he isn't.

If the courts should seriously wonder why public confidence in the judicial system seems to be fading, maybe they should take a look at what they're doing

Bits O' Talk by Fay Bovee

Archie and Luanna (Lietz) Cripps of 6068 E. Colby, Mesa, Arizona, 85205, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on

Capt. and Mrs. Jim Bedard nee Vicky Wells) and children free vicky wells) and children. Both and Andrea have moved from Portland. Mi., and are now residing at 15420—M43. Hickory Corners. Mi. 49060. Jim is employed at Fort Custer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fleagle and children of Chicago Ridge. III., spent several days last week with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Winslow. They went to Detroit to the Matchbook Con-vention and then on to Niagara Falls while the children remained here. They returned to Gray-ling and took their daughter. Kim, who had spent the summer with her grandparents, and the rest of the family and

Attends Class of '40

Minutes of the thirty-seventh annual class reunion of the class of 1940 was held at the office of the Class Registrar, the home of Ms. Mary Jane Knibbs, who maintained the class records.

The meeting was called to order by Mary Jane Knibbs as the class came through the rain and into her home, known as the Knibbs Half-way House

Roll Call was made and the ollowing answered present Ruth Burrows Moore, Mary Jane Joseph Knibbs, Patricia Mc-Kenna Hayes, Glory MacNeven Frymier, Jack (Bottle) Hull and Melvin K. Nielson known as

Election of the Home-Coming Queen and Officers for the ensuing year was then held and after many secret ballots the following were elected to reign until their successors be chos

.. President and Home-Coming Queen: Ruth Burrows Moore Vice President - Billy Jim Kraus (Bill was tied up with banking and chamber business and was not in attendance.)

Treasurer - Robert Herbison (Bob was all tied up being Vice President in charge of cattle production in Saskatoon, Saskatchuwan and also was not in attendance

Secretary - Mary Jane Joseph

Historian and Social Director Who else but the one and only Patricia McKenna Hayes.

Telephone calls were then placed to all known classmates

around the country.
It should also be mentioned at this time that a few select quests also attended the meet ing and they were. Ruth Nielson. Wes Hayes. Larry Frymier. Bill Moore. It was dediced to have a class

cook book distributed as well as a car wash scheduled for De-cember 26, 1977 - this is a necessity as the class treasury had been depleted by a tele-phone call to Robert Herbision in Canada.

winners being - Larry Frymier, Melvin Nielson, Ruth Nielson and Bill Moore. Some of the more bright students were absent from the winners circle namely Patricia. Gloria and Mary Jane and the Home-Com-ing Queen Ruth Burrows. Prizes were awarded and

meeting was adjourned at 12:00

Jerrie K. Lovely Joins Air Force

TRAVERSE CITY—Jerri K. Lovely, 19. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Crampton, Grayling, has entered the U.S. Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program (DEP). According to Technical Ser

geant Larry N. Whitt, the Air Force recruiter here. Ms. Lovely will commence four years active duty on Dec. 7, undergoing six-week basic training at Lack-land Air Force Base. Tex.

The Air Force has guaranteed that Ms. Lovely, a 1975 graduate of Grayling High School, will then receive Ground Radio Communication Equipment Re pairman training and upon com-pletion be assigned to an Air Force duty station

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ployed by Fuelgas for the past 16 years, lives at Batterson Rd..

His wife, Carol, has been employed at Fuelgas Co. for the past seven years. They have five children. Sharon 17. Candy 15. Maurice, 14. Brad, 12 and Ty, 4 months. Other training Mr. Alma has completed is Ferris' School of Applied Arts and Certificate of Merit from Fisher Governor Company on Automatic Control Equipment

Editor's Mailbox

R. 5, Box 5243 Grayling, Mi. 49738 August 23, 1977 To the Editor: Dear Sir

We, as concerned parents and citizens of the Crawford -AuSable School District, would like to urge all voters to get out to the polls on August 29 and vote for the millage renewal request.
The voters of Crawford Coun-

ty have shown their concern by electing an enlightened board and the board has studied the operating budget very thoroughly. They have come up with a workable and fair budget for the coming year and we think every concerned citizen and parent should show his support by getting out to vote next Mon-

Our children need our support and interest in their educatio Sincerely. Phil and Donna Clark

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AUGUST 29, 1977

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that a special election of Crawford AuSable School District. Crawford. Otsego and Kalkaska Counties. Michigan, will be held in the School District, on Monday, August 29, 1977.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7 O'CLOCK, A.M. AND CLOSE AT 8 O'CLOCK, P.M.

The following proposition will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the special election

TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Oisego and Kaikaska Counties, Michigan, be increased by 9.65 mills (\$9.65 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of 5 years, 1977 to 1981, inclusive for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (9.15 mills being a renewal of 9.15 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1976 tax levy and .50 mill being additional operating

THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

PRECINCT NO. 1

Voting Place—Gymnasium of the Grayling Middle School Building, in the City of Grayling, Michigan. The first precinct consists of all the territory of the former Grayling Public Schools.

PRECINCT NO. 2

Voting Place—Gymnasium Frederic Elementary School. The second precinct consists of the territory of the former Frederic Community School. (All of the territory except Lovells Township).

PRECINCT NO. 3

Voting Place—The Lovells Township Hall. The third precinct consists of the rest of the territory of the former Frederic Community Schools. (Namely Lovells Township, only)

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are

I, Joseph V, Wakeley, Treasurer of Crawford County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of August 9, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford AuSable School District. Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Crawford County By Beaver Creek Township: By Grayling Township: By Frederic Township

By Lovells Township By Maple Forest Township.

70 Mill, County Building Debt None 2 Mills for Fire, through 1979
1 Mill, for landfill, no limit

6 mills, 1977 only JOSEPH V. WAKELEY Treasurer, Crawford County, Michigan

I. Robert A. Pray, Treasurer of Otsego County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of August 9, 1977, the records of this Offlice indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford AuSable School District. Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows

By Otsego County By Otsego Lake Township By the School District

6 mills, 1977 only

ROBERTA PRAY Treasurer, Otsego County, Michigan

Marian Johnson, Treasurer of Kalkaska County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of August 8, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the fax imitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford AuSable School District. Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows

By Kalkaska County By Bear Lake Township By the School District

.5 Mill - Fire 1977-1978 1 Mill Health Center - 1977

MARIAN JOHNSON Treasurer, Kalkaska County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Crawford AuSable School District. Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan.

> KATHLEEN BURKLEY Secretary, Board of Education

Notice to Booster Club Members

PROPOSED BY-LAWS Grayling Youth Booster Club

The Grayling Youth Booster Club is organized for the purpose of promoting the interest and welfare of the youth of Crawford County. Michigan and has been incorporated as a non-profit corporation under the title of Grayling Youth Booster Club, Inc. Its activities shall be non-partisan, non-sectional, non-sectarian, and shall not constitute assistance in, or influence of the appointing or electing of any candidate for public office.

ARTICLE I -- GENERAL DEFINITIONS

Section I. Subject to additional definitions contained in the subsequent articles of these by-laws which are applicable to the subsequent articles of flees of flees by-laws which are applicable to the specific articles, and unless the context otherwise requires, the following definitions are intended.

A. Grayling Youth Booster Club—The entire membership of

the Grayling Youth Booster Club, hereinafter referred to as club

B. Board of Directors—The seventeen members of the club elected per article herein previded, to manage the affairs of the club, and hereinafter referred to as board. Where approval. appointment, authorization, assignment and other action by the hoard is indicated, it shall be by the majority action of the board present unless otherwise provided.

C. Entrance Fee—The entrance fee for any individual member.

shall be \$5.00 which shall be payable upon the individuals request to become a member and includes the first years dues. The entrance fee requirements for any business or organization shall be the same as for an individual.

.D. Annual Dues- Any individual member may retain active membership in this organization by payment of the annual dues upon notification by the board that such fee is due, and if said member remains a mber in good standing.

 Any business or organication may maintain a membership in the club so long as they pay dues annually upon notification by the board that such dues are payable, and further provided that they are a member in good standing

E. Member - An individual or a business or other organization which comprise the entire club.

ARTICLE II — MEMBERSHIP OF CLUB

Section 1. A person, firm, corporation, partnership, estate trust, county, township, association or municipality may become a

member of this organization.
Section 2. Application for membership in the club shall be made to a member and such application shall be regarded as a quarantee on the part of the applicant of his interest in and guarantee on the part of the approach of the club, as well as willingness to assist with the purpose of the club, as well as adhering to its by-laws, rules, and regulations.

ARTICLE III — EXPULSION FROM THE CLUB

Section 1. No party may be expelled from the club without the

opportunity of a hearing before the board.

A. Such hearing shall be held at a reasonable time and place set by the board.

B. Notice of such hearing shall be given to all board members.

as well as the members subject to expulsion. Section 2. No member of the club shall be expelled unless by a

vote of two-thirds of the board present at such hearing.
Section 3. Any member expelled by the board shall have the right to appeal to the club at the next general membership meeting.

at a special meeting called for the purpose of appeal A The general membership shall have the right to reinstate any member expelled under this article by a majority vote of those present at such a general election ARTICLE IV — MEMBERSHIP TERMINATION

Section: 1. The death, resignation, forfeiture or expulsion of a nher shall terminate his membership. Termination of ember shall terminate his membership. Termination of embership shall include the termination of all rights and interest the member in and to the property of the club. ARTICLE V — CLUB MEETINGS/VOTING

Section 1. Annual Meeting-The annual meeting of the general membership of the club shall be held annually during the month of September. The annual meeting shall be for the purposes of election of officers and any other business which the club start required in these by-laws. Such meetings shall not be financed through the club funds but shall be financed through the sale of ission tickets or other methods approved by the directors

A. Such meeting may be held on any other reasonable date agreed upon by the majority of the board.

B. Any change in the annual meeting provided for in this article, requires that the members shall be notified of such change. at least two weeks prior to the rescheduling of the meeting date. Said notification is to be made through local media.

C. Five percent of the membership in good standing shall constitute a quorum for the purpose of transacting business.

Section 2. Special Meetings—Special meetings may be called the president or by the majority board members.

A. Notice of such special meeting shall be given in the same manner as is used to notify of a change in the annual meeting.

B. At any special meeting, only that business for which the special meeting was called shall be transacted, unless all members then present shall consent to the discussion of additional

Section 3. Voting-

A. Every member in good standing shall have the right to cast one vote for each elected office and each resolution on the ballot, however, only individual members may vote regardless of the fact. that members may be a business comprised of auxiliary members The spouse and family members residing with the member under the same roof may become auxiliary members and will not be required to pay dues, however, they will have no voting rights and are ineligible to hold any elected position in the club.)

B. A majority vote of all members present shall be required to

pass any resolution or elect any individual unless provided

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D. All voting shall be done by secret ballot.

ARTICLE VI — BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1. The Board of Directors shall consist of seventeen

A Automatic Dismissal—

1. Any director who shall miss (two) consecutive regular meetings without prior notification shall be automatically dismissed as a director, provided that steps have been taken to duly notify the director after the first absence so as to allow the opportunity to amend the record if applicable. The secretary shall also notify the dismissed director after the second absence that such dismissal is final. The record shall be so noted.

B. Finacted Dismissal—

B. Finacted Dismissal— A Automatic Dismissal

B. Enacted Dismissal—

1. Any director who is absent from a number of meetings deemed to be excessive, as determined by a majority of the noard, shall be subject to enacted dismissal even though prior northcation has been presented. Also any director whose conduct is deemed in direct violation with these by-laws shall be subject to enacted dismissal. Such dismissal shall require a majority vote of the board except.

Section 2. The board of directors shall be the governing body

Section 2. The heard of directors shall be the governing body of the club and the direction of the club's work, the formation of the club's policy, the disbursement of the club's funds, the control of the club's property, shall be vested in the board.

A it shall be the duty of the secretary of the board to inform the membership committee of the successive absences.

B. The membership committee will then notify the member of his status within seven days of being informed by the secretary and if no response is received prior to or at the next regular meeting of the board, the membership committee may recommend that the board accept the resignation.

Section 5. In the case of a vacancy on the board, the

Section 5. In the case of a vacancy on the board, the mominating committee shall nominate a minimum of (3) three of the membership to fill each vacancy.

A. The members of the board shall select one of those

mbers nominated to fill the vacancy by written ballot Section 6. The board shall transact no club business unless a

A A quorum will be equal to a majority of the full board
ARTICLE VII — OFFICERS Section 1. The membership shall elect from their own number, the officers of the board which shall consist of a president, first

vice president, secretary and treasurer.

A. Such officers shall serve in their elected offices for one

Section 2. The President shall preside at all meetings of the club and the board and perform all duties incident to this office, including co-signing all checks, drafts, notes and like instruments. including co-signing all checks, drafts, notes and like instruments drawn on the club's checking and savings accounts. The office of president shall not be held by a first year member of the board, nor, shall any other office be filled with a member having less than six months on the board. He shall appoint all committees and shall be applied to the property of the shall appoint all committees and shall be ex-officio member of all standing committees, except the nominating committee. He shall, at the annual meeting of the club. and at such other times as he may deem proper, recommend to the membership and to the board such matters and make suggestions as will promote and increase the interest, prosperity, utility and usefulness of the club for the betterment of the youth in the

community.

Section 3. The first vice-president shall act in the absence of the president, and in the absence or disability of both the president and first vice-president, a member of the board shall be chosen by the majority of the board to act as interim president with full

powers and duties.

Section 4. The secretary shall keep accurate records of all business transacted at all meetings of the club and board, shall maintain custody of such records, and shall read such records to the board or the club upon reduest. The secretary shall also be responsible for giving proper notice as is required by these by-laws and ordinary business matters.

Section 5. The treasurer shall have custody and be responsible for all funds of the club and shall districts such funds by check as

for all funds of the club and shall disturse such funds by check as approved by the board. He shall keep accurate records of all receipts and disbursements, it shall be the duty of the treasurer to make an annual report of all receipts aftic expenditures. This report shall be written and distributed at the annual meeting or mailed to

all members at the discretion of the board. Any special funds created by the board shall require the delivery and accounting of its receipts of funds to the treasurer.

Section 6. In the event of a vacancy in any office, and after the normal succession indicated in Section 1-5 of this Article, the board shall select one of its members to fill the unexpired term by written hallor.

TICLE VIII — REMOVAL OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

Section 1. All elected and appointed directors and officers of the club are subject to removal from their elected or appointed position by majority vote of the board. For purposes of this Section only, a "majority" will be that number of all directors less the number of director or directors, officer or officers who are the

subject of the removal proceedings ARTICLE IX - COMMITTEES

Section 1. The board shall authorize committees and shall define their powers and duties and shall be allowed to grant any committee, upon the recommendation of the finance committee, a reasonable amount of money for special projects which are directed

to furthering the club's purpose.

A. The committees will prepare requests as needed, to be presented to the finance committee for its analysis and recommendation to the board.

B. No committee shall exceed the request previously approved for that particular committee without the formal approval of a majority of the board.

Section 2, Standing committees—Standing committees shall

be appointed by the president annually, and shall consist of the A. Membership Committee, the membership committee shall be composed of as many members as necessary, including one member of the board who shall act as chairman. The membership

committee shall have the duty of securing new members and distributing membership cards during the year, helping to maintain membership interest and harmony, collection of any dues, give stimulating ideas and suggestions for a more successful promotion. of club activities to the public as a whole B Nominating Committee, at least sixty (60) days prior to the date of each annual meeting where election of officers is to take place, the president shall appoint a committee of not less than three (3) members to act as a nominating committee. It shall be the duty of this committee to nominate at least three (3) candidates, if

available, for each vacancy. These nominations shall be presented at the next regular board meeting so as to allow acceptance from the nominees, approval of the board and notification of the general C. Election Judges Committee. The election judges committee shall be composed of three members appointed by the board. It shall include one member of the board who is not an officer and two

other members of the club who are in good standing. It shall be the duty of the election judges to check all ballots and report the results of the election. In case of a tie, the results will be determined by lox ARTICLE X - DISBURSEMENTS

Section 1. No disbursements of the club funds shall be made without the approval and authorization of the majority of the board

ARTICLE XI - COMPENSATION Section 1. No director of officer shall receive or accept any compensation for services rendered in behalf of the club. Such compensation will be considered not in the best interest of the club.

and shall be grounds for dismissal ARTICLE XII -- CLUB PROPERTY

Section 1. The club may acquire, take by gift, devise or bequest, real and personal property appropriate in the exercise of its power and general purpose. Title to such properties shall be taken in the name of the Grayling Youth Booster Club and shall be acquired, accepted, sold, mortgaged or conveyed by the president upon due authorization therefor by majority of the board ARTICLE XIII — ORDER OF BUSINESS

Section 1. The order of business at all regular meetings shall

Roll call of members

C. Reading of minutes
D. Communications
E. Reports of Committees

Unfinished business

G. New business

ARTICLE XIV - AMENDMENTS

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Section 1. These by-laws may be amended, altered, or repeated by a majority vote of members present at any regular meeting or any special meeting called for that purpose, provided notice of the proposed changes and a notice of such meeting shall have been published in the local media not less than ten days prior to such

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Attention:

Grayling Youth Booster Club.

Notice of Annual Meeting to all

Grayling Youth Booster Club Members

I hereby notify you that pursuant to the authority vested

in me as President of the Grayling Youth Booster Club and Section 122 of the General Corp. Act, I hereby announce to all

members of the Grayling Youth Booster Club of the annual

meeting to be held at the American Legion at James Street, Grayling, Michigan on the 11th day of September, 1977 at 1

o'clock p.m. for the purposes of accepting, or rejecting

proposed By-laws passed by the Board of Directors of the

Grayling Youth Booster

Club Members

SIGNED:

PRESIDENT

Irv McIsaac

Editor's Mailbox

Editor's Note: The following is the final of three articles by the Crawford - AuSable Board of education pertaining to the miliage renewal vote to be held

We, the members of the Crawford - AuSable School Board, believe we have been given two mandates by the voters of this district. They are: 1) provide each child with a

at the least possible cost.
With this in mind, we took our proposed budget for the 1977-78 school year back to committee and out expenditures everywhere we helieved. everywhere we believed we could without seriously damag-ing the quality of education our children are receiving. The cuts include some classroom teach ers and some extra corricular activities. We also rearranged our priorities somewhat by allo cating more for library books, textbooks, and teaching supplies.
On August 29th, we will be

voting on a single issue: Tax Rate Limitation Increase Propo-sition for Operating Purposes. Shall the limitation on the

amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kal kaska Counties. Michigan, be increased by 9.65 mills (\$9.65 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of five years, 1977 to 1981, inclusive, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (9.15 mills being a renewal of 9.15 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1976 tax levy and .50 mill being additional operating millage)?

ating millage)?
Because the Board has previously dropped dobt retirement
millage for the coming school
year by one mill: the total
school millage will be ½ mill
lower than last year, if the
millage proposal passes.

We have made a determined effort to be responsive to the needs of our children and the concerns of the taxpayers. We want desperately to work in harmony with the community to see that our children are not short-changed in their education and that your tax dollars are spent wisely. Please contact us now or whenever you have a question or a concern regarding

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Bits O' Talk

By Fay Bovee Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dibble (nee Virginia Day) of Hollywood, Fla. flew up to spend two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Day. Also coming for the weekend were their son and family, Dr. and Mrs. Dennis Day of Okemos.

Fred Hoyt of Kingsley, Mi., spent Tuesday of last week visiting Pat and Alice Madsen at their home on Wakeley Bridge

Mrs. Thomas (Dorothy) Wakeley of M-72 East has been transferred from Mio to Tim-berview Village on Old 27 North. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Boudrie

(nee Alice Wakeley) of New Boston, Mi., spent the weekend with her sister, Madlyn Hinkel, Wakeley Bridge Rd, While here they visited her lather. Tom Wakeley, who is a patient at Mercy Hospital, and Mrs. Wak-eley at Timberview Village. Mrs. James Willis (nee Bessie Wak eley) of Boone, who has spent several weeks here with her father, returned to her home Friday

Guests at the home of the Clarence Papendick's the week-end of the wedding of their son Rusty, to Pat Lifford were Mr and Mrs. Lester Dehne and daughter, Millie, Emil Dehne and friend, Jean, two sisters of Mrs. Papendick's, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Naiberg and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bonk, her daughter. Mrs. Judy Herman and her daughter, Joy, and a brother, Gerald Steffen, all of Manito-woc, Wis, Mrs. Rosa Christenson spent

a day with Mr. and Mrs. Adams of Lansing at their cottage on the Manistee. Eleanor Adams is a cousin of Mrs. Christensons.

I've had two calls this week telling me what a beautiful garden Mrs. Gildner on State St. has again this year. She has added impatiens to the front and the backyard is a riot of color. There are so many beautiful flower and vegetable gar-dens around all over town. Keep

it up. Grayling.

The office of the Grayling Elementary School is now open for registration and information

Softball Winners At Frederic

games were a huge success. These were tournament games, which started Friday evening and lasted through Saturday and Sunday.

and sunday.

As many as 300 turned out to each of the games. The games went on through rain and all kinds of weather, but it didn't stop the many teams participating or damper their spirits.

The teams that won trophies were. 1st prize. Shoppenagon's: 2nd prize. Flaming Kettle of Houghton Lake: 3rd prize, Van's Lumber Co.

it was great to see Frederic once again have a baseball team and show them all the Frederic spirit. Do you recall the Frederic baseball teams of the 1940's? We had great teams in those days and lots of followers. Many of those fellows that were on the teams in the old days are still here living in Frederic. So, still here living in Frederic. So, fellas, let's keep up the good work and keep the Frederic

BOWLING

Wednesday Night Mixed League
1 Scyfort's
2 Jiggie Jaggie's
3 Mosnier
4. G & L
5. Mama's 3 Papa's
6. L 8 E
7. T & J
9 Minfile 16

High Series, Men: T. Grant, 574; B. Reichelderfer, 536; J. Uphold, 472 High Game, Men: T. Grant,

208; B. Reichelderfer, 206; R. Moshier & B. Reichelderfer. Latusek, 492; E. Helsel, 474; J.

Hinds, 447.
High Game, Women: P. Lawe, 180: J. Hinds, 175: E. Helsel.

Thursday Night Mixed Doubles

. Sunshines - Double Trouble Moose

4. Guess Who's 5. Winsome's 6. Good Times

7. Blankety Blanks

Ockerman, 466 High Game, Men. B. Gingerich, 225 R. Zalac, 211 & 191; T. Ockerman, 186.

High Series, Women: J. Ebrits, 461; J. Barber, 445; S.

High Game, Women: J. Eberts, 187, J. Barber, 183; S. Cox, 169.

Calendar of Events

Aug. 28: Moose Picnic. Dish to pass, own table service. 12 noon until ? Hargrove Lake. Members and quests

Sept. 21: The Past Matrons and Patrons of OES #83 and their spouses will meet on Sept. 21 at Dottie Williamson's for a 6

have a nice weekend.

La Leche League To Meet

The third meeting of the Roscommon La Leche League will be held on September first at 7:30 p.m. This meeting will be hosted by Brenda Brown, on Pines Trail in Roscommon

This month's topic is "The Family and The Breastfed Ba-by". We welcome any woman who is breastfeeding or who is interested in breastfeeding he

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Our budget was in the neighamoud of \$475,000 and we and a month and got \$25.00 or day. For a special meeting got \$15.00 a day. When a suble of eager beavers on our Heard started calling a few extra becal meetings, our Chair-lian, Mr. Earl Longworth, called halt on them, Miss Eileen orguson, secretary for County Herk Leo Lovely, took the imutes for our meetings. The commissioners now get \$40.00

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They seem to be inaecom 6 days a week and twice a. Sun tay. They have Miss enguson as secretars, plus a secretary turnished to them by E. T.A. Johntusk me what that and habit had a program's life nd because it also Fragera of Landed. We allow the TRS don't we' So we hast bay to it in a round-

an surprised the Commis-mers have not asked to have above installed. With all $\rho = \mathrm{doc} \, \mathrm{doc} \, \mathrm{doc} \, \mathrm{nsta}^{\mathrm{q}} \mathrm{ed} \, With \, \, \mathrm{all}$ the leg wink used to run up and stank to meetings it must

get from our Board of Commissioners? A big fat NOTHING We have three peo-pre down there trying their best to do a good job, but they are ever ruled by the other four

In a neighboring paper I read an article by Mr. Edward Lowrie. The of our Commissioners. It seems clear that most Commis coners are not satisfied with the organization of their meet-ings or the degree of efficiency with which things get done. I quote Mr. Lowrie. There is a lack of continuity in our pro-chedures. The Committee sys-tem is breaking down because we just don't seem to be getting through all our committee re-

say there is something radically wrong. Why is there a tack of continuity, why is the system breaking down? We did not cleat these people to office to have this happen. The main reason is disorganization. They don't know what they are doing. When they go into a session they should have it clearly before them on the agenda what the days work will be. You don't drag in all the junk mail that has been collecting for weeks and read it all on taxpayers time. Are all those different committees necessary? Each one has to

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HELEN M. SPENCER, CLERK

have a chairman and that chairmen gets added money every time he attends a meeting.

When I was a Commissioner there was never a meeting that we did not have notices of meetings in adjoining counties Mr Longworth would look them all over and state. "there is nothing of any value in these meetings that we can bring back to the people of the county " so we stayed at home. Not our present Commissioners. They take them all in whether they are any value to our county or not Travel has to be one of the big items of their expense accounts. Otherwise how do ou avotain these high expense accounts? Some of them in the \$700.00 and \$800.00 class.

If you do not believe this, go back to the minutes of some of their meetings. I think it should be mandatory that these Commissioners give an accounting of all their expenses. Mr. Lowrie goes on to quote, as he looks at his notes from the last 4 or 5 meetings... Several items of business have been tabled or referred to committee and then never brought up again at meetings. When something becomes old business it is gone.

I disagree with Mr. Lowrie. Why should it be gone just because it is old business? It could be very important and still tabled. Sometimes a Board needs a while to think things over, but they just don't dump it. Again, I call this sloppy and disorganized business. I talked with people that have attended some of the Commissioners meetings and they tell me it is as good as a three ring circus. I would not call it that. I would call it a disgrace. They. the Commissioners, could learn a lot by going to a City Council meeting and see how efficiently it is run. (No you can't chalk it

up to a special session) The Council has a well prepared agenda, they get down to the business of the evening and get it over with. Sometimes they are there until midnight. And for vears these people worked for \$5.00 a meeting. A few years ago they got a raise to \$20.00 a meeting. And they earned every bit of it, but some of our citizens howled. Where are you

Again I quote Mr. Lowrie in our neighboring paper. "I feel the Board needs to meet twice monthly but perhaps the second meeting could be kept to half a day, saving the county some money. I can't help but feel we could do the business in a day if we were organized". Unquote. Then why in heavens name don't you get organized? He states a move like this would save the county \$1,680 a year. How magnanimous of you Mr. Lowrie. Saving the County \$1,680 a year on a \$1,190,760 budget. And I am also wondering why you are doing all the talking when Mr. Fred Kauffman is the Chairman of the Board And why is all this information in a neighboring paper instead of our own Avalanche. I also noticed in this same

paper another very bright idea from some of our Commissioners. They would like to hire an architect for \$500.00 to draw up plans for an animal shelter. They were considering the old sewage plant on Plum Street. They voted to send delegates to the City Council to clarify the councils feeling on the matter.

ing larger animals such as horses and cows. Now I ask you, how many horses and you, how many horses and cows do you see roaming the streets of Gravities streets of Grayling. After reading that statement I know of some other four-legged animals walking the streets that could be penned, but I have to censor that type of animal. Whitey said so. Can you imagine paying \$500,00 for plans when they did not even know if they could have the property? And I doubt very much if the City Council would sell prime river property for an animal shelter when adequate property can be pur-chased outside the city limits

In the July 12th issue of the Avalanche I read in the minutes of the Commissioners a report from the Planning Committee. It is completed and entitled "A pian to pian Crawford County". Well bully for them. They have just about planned Crawford

for a much cheaper price

County right into the ground.

But the straw that broke the camel's back was the motion made to retain a law firm on a retainer basis of \$150.00 per month. Have you people down there gone completely out of your heads? What do you think we hire a Prosecuting Attorney for? We have a very intelligent young man down there named Mr. Thomas Kent that fills this office. He is always around to help you when you need him. Or maybe since you have gone underground you do not know he exists. It seems as if your only purpose is to sit down-stairs and figure out ways to spend the taxpayers money. And by the way in case you didn't know it, a Commissioners job is only a part time one, not a full time job as you people are making it.

I would like to take you people on a few trips with me and interview some of the ones I have talked to. When you leave if you have any conscience you aren't going to like what you see when you look in the mirror Maybe you will try to think of ways to reduce this budget and it wouldn't hurt you to tighten your own belts and lower some of the exorbitant expense ac

counts you are turning in.

And now for you Mr. and Mrs.
John Q. Public, you had better
take a long hard look at the candidates you are electing to public office. Before you enter that voting booth and pull the lever, you better ask yourselves a few questions. How intelligent is this person? Will he make a good Commissioner? Is going to have the good of the people at heart or is he in-terested in filling his pockets? Are his brains in his head or his

going bankrupt? Well, it's possible, and unless you wake up and make yourselves heard, we're well on our way. When it comes time to review

the 1978 budget in October you had better be there with some questions and demand some adequate answers and when election time rolls around, buy some new brooms. Romember

they sweep clean.

I have only one more thing to add and that is to you people that don't vote. Don't tell it out. it spoils your image. Voting is a privilege we Americans have and should cherish. A lot of countries do not have this privilege. But remember, if you don't vote and you don't like the way things are run in the various governments, keep your mouth shut. Just remember ... you had

Mrs. Walter F. Truettner

I have a little space left and I would like to say this about another subject.

In the July 14th issue of the Avalanche Mr. Elmer Fenton Historical Society, had a letter to the Editor. In this letter he told of the criticism and downright abuse he took from certain people because we did not have the names, histories and pictures of some of their relatives n our Centennial Book

About 8 months before the book was started by the author, Mr. Jack Mason, notices were put in the Avalanche that people wanting things in this book to get in touch with Mr. Mason right away. These notices were carried about every other week. Everyone had plenty of time to get their material together.

A book of this nature can not be put together over-night. Now, if your family history did not appear, you have no one to blame but yourselves. Furtherit seems that the ones even have a membership in our society.

Mr. Fenton has done a mar

elous job putting this museum together. He has traveled all over Crawford County getting information and pictures. Withinformation and pictures. Without him and the R.S.V.P. ladies that keep it open, we would have no museum.

He stated he was sorry if he had nurt anyone's feelings. He shouldn't be. They asked for it. We do not need your presence in the museum if all you can

Board Member Crawford Co. Historical Society

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Even speed demons tend to ease up on the gas pedal when they see a road sign about children. No one wants to hurt a child. Yet many of us hurt even the children closest to us. Maybe, as parents, we WATCH tend to try to make them think we're too perfect. And when they discover our feet are clay, they are disil-Maybe we give CHILDREN children too marty things, and too little of ourselves. Maybe we forget how fleeting childhood is. and put off too much until a tomorrow that comes too late Most of all, maybe we neglect introducing our children to the Church. so that God's home may become a Monday SPEED part of their lives. Let's do the most James 4:1-17 important things for our children -Tuesday include church school in their fall cur-James Wednesday 4:12-19 Thursday Revelation Friday ARE PRESENT Revelation 2:8-11 Saturday Revelation

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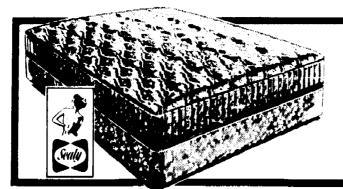
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Threatening rain clouds did not keep one person from showing up and about 70 people enjoyed an afternoon of golf along with a few sprinkles of

Gary and Marlene Vajda and Charlie and Liz Vajda came in with a low of 33 in the Scrambles, with second place going to Bill and Marian Joseph and Bill and Kathryn Stewart with 34. High score went to Fred and Vivian Bishop and Melvin and Thelma Bishop with a score of ?

The grand door prize of \$10 went to Bill and Donna Denton and many other balls and tees were given as door prizes.

Everyone cooked their own steaks and then enjoyed with them, baked potatoes, rolls, colesiaw and gelatin salads. A

good time was had by all.

The next Sunday Couples party is scheduled for September. Watch the bulletin board a

ABWA News

The regular monthly meeting of the Grayling Charter Chapter of the American Business Wo nen's Association was held or Tuesday evening, August 16, 1977 at the Grayling House.

Kathleen Parkinson, President, along with Betty Bennett, Vice President, and Karen Cas-ler, Membership Chairwoman, conducted the Initiation ceremony for four new members Ann Keil, representative for Newton Manufacturing: Connie Stump, owner of Crawford County Glass; Carol Doyle representative of Viviane Woodd Cosmetics and Joanne lively, owner of the Grayling

Guest speaker was Scott Fick, a foreign exchange stu-dent from Grayling to Santiago, Chile, last summer. He told of his experiences while living there and about his adopted

Vocational Speaker was Alice Lattimer, a 5th grade teacher at Frederic Elementary School. She told her many varied duties involved as a teacher.

An increase in the amount of our scholarship as well as a new

scholarship recipient, Janice Annis, was voted upon. We are now proud to boast of

51 members in our chapter, which is one of the largest for a community of our size, and the Mayor's Cup which was awarded us for the best service group float at the Milltown Parade

A Nominating Committee was selected to fill a slate for new officers. The members of this committee are Deanna Bartelli Joyce Bourrie and Alice Latti-

mer.
The next monthly meeting of the Chapter will be held on Tuesday evening, September

Submitted by Jane Larson

District Court

The following appeared in the 83rd District Court before Judge Francis L. Walsh last week

Gary John Pepsin of Fife Lake was arraigned and bound over to Circuit Court on 4 charges of B & E and a charge of larceny over \$100. He waived preliminary examination. Bond was set at \$5,000. He was arrested by sheriff's officers

Ramon Lee Gifford, 27, and Jordan Lee Larimer, 23, of Lo-gansport, Ind., were both charg-ed with breaking and entering an occupied dwelling on August 2, 1977. Preliminary examina-tion was held and defendants were bound over to Circuit each. They were arrested on a

Richard Leroy Sturdivant, 23, of Frederic, demanded prelim inary examination and the 12day period was not waived. Bond was set at \$2000. He was arrested on a citizen's complaint and charged with break ing and entering an occupied dwelling on August 8, 1977.

Norman Douglas Hadstate, 18, of Roscommon was charged with breaking and entering unoccupied building. He manded preliminary examina tion and the 12-day period was waived. Bond was set at \$5 000 He was arrested on a citizen's

complaint Donald Albert Boone, 18. Grayling, was charged with B & E of an occupied dwelling and larceny over \$100. He demanded preliminary examination, the 12-day period was not waived and bond was set at \$1000 and

\$500. He was arrested by Sneriff's officers. Robert M. Howald, 21, of Toledo, Ohio was arrested by city police and charged with carrying a concealed weapon. He domanded preliminary examination, the 12-day period was not waived and bond was

set at \$500 nes Henry Verlinde, 43, of Frederic was arrested by State Police on March 10 on a charge of Impaired driving. He pread guilty and was fined \$185 or 14 days in jail.

Thursday, August 25, 1977

Sweet Adelines Activities

We are still in a state of shock over the tremendous turnout we had for our Gong Show. We apologize to the people we had to turn away at the door for lack of space and if there are any persons who had purchased tickets in advance and could not get in, please turn your tickets over to us and we will refund

our money. No Gong Show on television has a panel of judges to surpass ours in wit and dedication to their job. We thank Dorothy Troyer, John Huss, and Rev. Jim Hilliard for taking on this hard task, and sitting through

all the acts.

Dick Fuller did a terrific job as host and we thank him sin-cerely. Next a big thanks to the acts that performed in the Gong Show and congratulations to the winning act, "Violet Velvet", and family act of 3 little boys and their sister who played instruments while singing -"When The Saints Go Marching

In."

A big thank you goes to Darlene Michaels wno performed for us so well. She is a talented lady and we were honored to have her on our program. Thank you too, to her little daughter who charmed the surfaces when she sang with audience when she sang with her mother

We must not forget to thank the stage hands, whose names ! do not even know, who took props on and off the limited stage area. You really helped us

ut enormously. Mid-Mitten Chapter is happy to greet three new members. Carol Bunge, Iris LaDuke and Margo Dirksen. Welcome to the chapter girls ... we are so glad you joined. Guests at the Au-

gust 17th rehearsal were Louise Bartig and Sandy Britton. August 27th we will hold our first coaching session at the Roscommon High School from 3 - ? All members are urged to attend and all you bosses who have a Sweet Adeline working on Saturday - sure would be nice if you let them off early. These coaching sessions are what helped place us so high in competition so we can't let

Legal Notice

Noice of Finding of No Significant Effect on The Environment

DATE: August 25, 1977 Crawford County Crawford County Court House Grayling, Michigan 49738 Telephone 517/348-9223 TO ALL INTERESTED AGEN-CIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

The above named County proposes to request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to release Fodoral Funds under Title I of

the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) to be used for the following project: HOUSING REHABILITATION AND COMMUNITY FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT TO REHABILITATE HOUSING, SEPARATE STORM AND SANITARY SEW-ERS. CONSTRUCT STORM SE WERS, AND IMPROVE ROADS VILLAGE OF FREDERIC, GRAY

LING TOWNSHIP, GRAYLING CITY, CRAWFORD CO., MICHI-GAN \$380,000 It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and, accordingly, the above named County has decided not to prepare an Enental Impact Statement under the National Environ-mental Policy Act of 1969 (PL

91-190) The reasons for such decision not to prepare such statement are as follows: The impact of the proposed project activities on the environment is negligible and, where such impacts exist, re of a bene

An Environmental Review Record respecting the within pro-ject has been made by the above named County which docu-ments the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such Statement is not required. This Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and available for public examination and copying, upon re-quest, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

No further environmental review of such project is proposed to be conducted, prior to the request for release of Federal

All interested persons, groups and agencies disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments to consideration by the County to the Chairman of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners. Such written comments should be received at (the address specified) on or before September 10, 1977. All such comments so received will be considered and the County will not request the release of Federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the da'e specified in the preceding sentence

Mr. Fred Kauffman, Chairman Crawford County Board of Commissioners Crawford County Court House Grayling, Michigan 49738

Legal Notice

MORTGAGE SALE-Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Thomas E. Smith, a single man to Vern Heilbrunn, T. Gordon Scup-holm, II and Eli Friedman, Trustees, Mortgagee, dated June 30, 1975, and recorded on July 3, 1975, in Liber 145, on page 561 Crawford County Records Michigan, and on which mort-gage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One hundred forty three thousand one hundred forty four & 65/100 Dollars (\$143,144.65). including interest at 181/2 % per

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, at 10:30 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, on October

Said premises are situated in Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan,

and are described as.

Land situated in the Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan described as

Parcel 1: Sections 2 and 3. Town 25 North, Range 2 West. except a 1/2 acre parcel in the Northwest 1/4 of Section 2, J, P and Q as set out in the attached descriptions marked Parcels A. B. C. H. J. P and Q; also except the plats of South Branch Ranch Unit No. 1 and South Branch Ranch Unit No. 2 and Chandra Village

Parcel 2: South Branch Ranch Unit No. 1, being part of the West ½ of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 2, and part of the East 1/2 of Section 3, and part of the East 1/2 of Section 3. Town 25 North, Range 2 West, recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 21, except the following 75 lots: 2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 14, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 49, 50, 52, 53, 67, 68, 69, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 86, 87, 89, 90, 92, 94, 95, 96, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117 and

Parcel 3: South Branch Ranch Unit No. 2, being parts of the Southeast 1/4 and the East ½ of the Southwest 1/4, the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 and the Southwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 3 Town 25 North, Range 2 West, recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 40, except the following 4 lots - 216, 243, 245 and 286

Parcel 4: Chandra Village being parts of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4, the Northeast 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 and the Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 3 Town 25 North, Range 2 West, recorded in Liber 4 of Plats, on page 16, except Lots 10 and 15. During the six months imme-

diately following the sale, the property may be redeemed. Dated: August 19, 1977 Vern Heilbrunn T. Gordon Scupholm, II Eli Friedman, Trustees

Eli Friedman 2209 Cadillac Tower Detroit, Mt 48226

11-18-25-1

Legal Notice STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for

the County of Crawford Estate of John F. Cook, De ceased Remainder Trust under Article VI of Will TAKE NOTICE: On September 9, 1977, at 10:30 a.m., in the

Probate Courtroom, in the city of Grayling, Michigan, before the Hon. Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Ina M Cook and Second National Bank of Saginaw as Trustees under Article VI of the Will of John F. Cook for allowance of their Third Account as such Trustees. Dated: August 15, 1977.

Ina M. Cook and Second Nt'l. Bank of Saginaw Petitioner

Petitioner 101 North Washington Ave. Saginaw, MI. 48607 Attorney for Petitioner: Thomas M. Murphy (P18116) Braun, Kendrick, Finkbeiner, Schafer & Murphy 812 Second Nt'l. Bank Bidg. Saginaw, Ml. 48607 Phone (517) 753-3461

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Legal Notice

Notice of Mortgage

Foreclosure Sale Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 30th day of August, 1974, by Ronald A. Mavis and Kenneth A. Distel, as mortgagors, to the Grayling State Bank, mortgagee, and recorded on the 6th day of September, 1974, in Liber 138 of mortgages, page 160 - 161, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice the sum of Seventy Five Thousand, Six Hundred and Thirty One Dollars and Fifty Seven Cents (\$75.631.57) prin cipal, and Five Thousand, Five Hundred and Forty-Seven Dollars and Seven Cents (\$5,547.07) interest (which includes late charges of \$55.00; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to re cover the debt or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having be-come operative by reason of such default; NOW, THEREFORE, Notice

is Hereby Given that on October 12, 1977, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Northeasterly front door, Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling, Michi-gan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said County, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said nortgage, with the interest there in at 9.5 per cent (9.5%) together with the legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgage, the land and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows, to-wit:

That property located in Craw-ford County, Township of Lo-vells, State of Michigan, to-wit: DARCEL 1: The Southeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 15. Town 27 North

Range 1 West.
PARCEL 2: The West 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 15. Town 27 North, Range 1 West, EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PARCEL: A part of the North-east 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 15, Town 27 North, Range 1 West; Commencing at the Southeast corner of same and running thence Westerly on the 1/8 line 662.25 feet to the point of beginning; thence North 89 degrees 09 minutes 30 seconds West on said 1/8 line, 397:35 feet; thence North 0 degrees 38 minutes 30 seconds West 100 feet; thence South 89 degrees 09 minutes 30 seconds East, 337.8 feet; thence South 0 degrees 53 minutes 30 seconds West, 100 feet to the point of

parcel 3: A strip of land in the North 1/2 of the South 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 described west corner of the South 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4, thence East 1656.6 feet; thence South 200 feet; thence East 1000 feet to the East line of said Southeast 1/4; thence South 156.9 feet; thence West 1000 feet; thence thence West 1000 feet; thence West 1361.6 feet; thence North 300 feet; thence North 300 feet; thence North 130.3 feet to the point of beginning. Section 15, Town 27 North, Range 1 West; EXCEPT PARCEL DESCRIBED AS: Commencing at a point Commencing at a point 1656.6 feet East of the Northwest corner of the South 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 15, Town 27 North, Range 1 West, thence South 200 feet for a point of beginning; thence East 1000 feet to the East line of said Southeast 1/4; thence South 156.9 feet; thence West 1,000 feet; thence North 156.9 feet to

the point of beginning.

Subject to the rights of the public and of any governmental unit in any part thereof taken, used or deeded for street, road

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The redemption period shall six (6) months date of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying amount bid at the sale plus interest thereon at 9.5 per cent (9.5%) and any fees, taxes or othe unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale Dated: August 5, 1977
The Grayling State Bank

JOHN B. HUSS Attorney for Mortgagee HESS, HUSS & DOSSON 120 Michigan Avenue Grayling, Michigan 49738 (517) 348-9821 and 319 Lake Street Rescommon, Michigan 48653 (517) 275-5184

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Regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of mmissioners held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on

the 25th day of July, 1977.

Meeting called to order by Fred Kauffman, Chairman

Invocation by Chairman Kauffman.

Present: Matthew Bidvia, Rolla Failing, Mary Harland, Fred
Kauffman, Edward Lowrie, Edwin Martindale, Lawrence Mattis.

Visitors Present: Mr. and Mrs. Farren, Wayne Hindmarsh, John Nestell, R.J. Smith.

MOTION by Bidvia, second by Lowrie, to accept the minutes of the meetings of June 27 and July 11, as printed. Roll Call. All Aye.

LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT by Failing. John onson, of the Sheriff Department, is on a leave of absence for 30 days, which will expire before the next meeting of this Board.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Bidvia, that Blue Cross, Blue Shield and life insurance on John Solomonson be extended until September 8, 1977. Roll Call. Lowrie, Bidvia, Failing, Harland, Mattis, Martindale, Kauffman-All Aye. Carried.

MOTION by Failing, second by Bidvia, that Tom Coors be placed in a Title II CETA slot, and to hold the Title VI slot open for John Solomonson. Roll Call. All Aye. Carried. The Sheriff requested authorization to buy another car, the sale

of olic cars to partially reimburse the General Fund.

MOTION by Mattis, second by Lowrie, that the Sheriff be authorized to let bids for a new patrol car, with the provision that the present Ford be sold as soon as possible. Roll Call, Mattis, Lowrie, Failing, Bidvia, Martindale, Kauffman—Ali Aye, Harland—No. Carried

Commissioner Harland asked hat the Board adhere to the Open Meetings Act and supply the agenda to the media upo

ANIMAL CONTROL REPORT by Harland, Mrs. Harland and Mr. Mattis went to the meeting of the City Council on June 27 in regard to an animal shelter at the old sewage plant. This was not allowed, and the alternate recommendation was the DNR field site off Old

MOTION by Harland, second by Lowrie, that bids be advertised for construction of an Animal Control Shelter, bids to include block construction and also pole construction at the old DNR field site, as soon as possible. Roll Call. Harland, Lowrie, Bidvia, Failing, Martindale, Kaulfman—All Aye, Mattis—Abstain, Carried, RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT by Harland. Mrs.

Harland presented resolutions from Alpena County and VanBurer County regarding PA 388 of PA 1976 Campaign Financing and

County regarding PA 388 of PA 1976 Campaign Financing and Campaign activities.

MOTION by Harland, second by Mattis, to support the resolution providing that late filling fees for Campaign Financing and Campaign activities be deposited in the General Fund of each county collecting such fees, for the extra work and expense imposed on all County Clerks in the State of Michigan. Roll Call. All Aye. Carried.

AIRPORT COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie. About 20 interested people attended this part of the meeting. Mr. Lowrie reported on negotiations with Grayling Air, Inc. to purchase the

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Harland, that the County participate in the purchase of Grayling Air Inc. holdings, total amount of 350,000, in the amount of 50% of that figure, Crayling Township and City of Grayling to pay 25% each. Roll Call. Lowrie. Harland, Failing, Bidvia, Martindale, Kauffman—All Aye. Mattis—Abstain, Carried

Jack Stockhaus assured the Board of the cooperation of the Military and Planning Commission people in emergency repairs at

YOUTH SERVICE BUREAU REPORT. Commissioner Failing the Chairman in his place.

SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie. The

annual meeting will be held in South Branch Township Hall on July 27. All Soil Conservation Directors are up for reelection. Awards will be presented to outstanding persons in the Soil Conservation

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE REPORT by Failing. When six more trenches are dug, they will have used 70% of their present location. They have been promised another 20 acres adjoining, by the DNR. This is the last contract year with Otsego County for the joint agreement. Rateoincreases—are under

Charlotte Sullivan, District Court Recorder, advised the Boardthat the recording equipment is no longer serviceable. The Finance Committee will check into the matter.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE COMMITTEE REPORT by Mattis. Duane

Nemke, Crawford County's representative, resigned. Cheryi Hall's name has been submitted.

Mr. Mattis reported on a meeting of the NEMCOG A-95 Review Board. This has to do with grant projects, and he advised the Board about taking advantage of available grants.

ZONING COMMITTEE REPORT by Harland, Bi-annual zoning

meeting will be held on July 28. The agenda will include a restricted trailer park in Lovells Township.

HEALTH & WELFARE COMMITTEE REPORT by Kauffman.

Crawford County's share of the Health Department #1 budget for 1978 is \$43.054.00. MENTAL HEALTH COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie. The State

MENTAL HEACHT COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie. The State Department of Mental Health is directing the services of local boards and throwing off all prevention programs. The budget request from Crawford County for 1978 will be \$12,199.00.
PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT by Lowrie. The Planning Consultant was unable to attend the Commission meeting. They continued refining land use classifications preparing for land use inventory.

Commissioner Failing attended a Mannower Consortium

meeting in Atlanta and was absent for the evening session.
PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT BY Martindale.
MOTION by Martindale, second by Mattis, that the job of
Payroll Clerk shall not be allowed to be created until formulated into the "Brown Book" so we have a method to test it. Roll Call. Martindale. Mattis, Harland, Lowrie, Bidvia, Kauffman—All Aye. MOTION by Lowrie, second by Harland, that a classification

Payroll Clerk I be established with an 04 grade, and a Payroll Clerk II position be established with an 06 grade. Roll Call. Lowrie, Harland, Bidvia, Mattis, Martindale, Kauffman—All Aye. Carried. MOTION by Harland, second by Lowrie, to establish Pat Scott

as Payroll Clerk II with an 06 grade, Roll Call, Harland, Lowrie, Bidvia, Mattis, Martindale, Kaulfman—All Aye, Carried, MOTION by Mattis, to create a Payroll Department with Pat

Scott as director. No support.
UNION BARGAINING COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie.

non-union, non-department heads be extended the same wage and fringe benefits as Council 11 AFSCME employees, retroactive to January 1, 1977. Roll Call. Lowrie, Harland, Bidvia, Martindale,

Mattis, Kauffman—All Aye. Carried.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Harland, that all department heads, except the Sheriff and Undersheriff, be provided all fringes awarded the Council 11 AFSCME employees, except Master Med shall be substituted for the Prescription Rider, and a cost of living shall be substituted in the Freschild Hall, and 2-cost of Indicates of 5.6% on salaries be provided, effective July 26, 1977. Roll Call. Lowrie, Harland, Bidvia, Martindale, Mattis, Kauffman—

It is the intention of the Committee to take up the Sheriff and the Undersheriff salaries at the time of ratification of the Teamsters

COUNCIL OF AGING REPORT and TRANSPORTATION COM-MITTEE by Bidvia. Mr. Bidvia met with the Council, and he discussed funds for the new shuffleboard and raffle tickets for the new car. They requested a budget increase for 1978 from \$8,000 to \$12,000. He reported that 1,800 people have been handled in the Center. Mr. Lowrie, Finance Committee Chairman, discussed continuation of the Dial-A-Ride Program. He asked Mr. Bidvia to obtain revenue figures for the first months, proposed budget figures for their 1978 operation, and how much lead time is needed

for special elections for miliage, should that be necessary.
FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie.
MOTION by Lowrie, second by Harland, to appropriate from
Contingencies to NEMCOG \$1200.00 for the express purpose of payment of Crawford County representatives to NEMCOG and Committees per diem, mileage and out-of-pocket expenses at Crawford County established rates. Any unexpended balance remaining at January 1, 1978 is to be returned to Crawford County or applied to Crawford County fiscal year 1977-78 dues, at Crawford County's discretion. Roll Call. Lowrie. Harland, Bidvia, Martindale, Mattis, Kauffman-All Ave. Carried.

OLD BUSINESS, ReEqualization, Mr. Lowrie had a conversation with Senator Young. He is supporting legislation for the Tax Commission to study counties in sequence.

Chairman Kauffman reported on a meeting with Col. HUROWSKI and Lake Margrathe Property Owners Association regarding policing the beach. Notices will be posted for all owners

Mr. Lowrie gave a very good report on the Northern Counties meeting of July 18th. Crawford County was asked to develop a policy to provide secretarial service to take their minutes, and to

provide copy service and mailing.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Mattis, to terminate the MOTION by Mattis, second by Lowrie, that the Committee® contractual agreement for the Dog Pound, and Mr. Durga be drafted for the purpose of drafting new by-laws also take under contideration the proposal that the Board Secretary take minutes of Northern County meetings and MAC Region II meetings, and bring back their report to this Board of Commissioners. Roll Call. All NEW BUSINESS-

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Harland, that the Airport Committee be given authority to petition the Corps of Engineers to extend the County's lease to 25 years. Roll Call. Lowrie, Harland, Bidvia, Martindale, Mattis, Kaufman—All Aye, Carried.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Martindale, that the Animal

Control Committee be given authority to pursue the acquisition of a deed for property for an Animal Shelter at the DNR field office. Roll . All Aye. Carried. CORRESPONDENCE-

1. William McNeill, Friend of the Court, reported that the total

collections for the first 6 months of 1977 increased 38% over the collections for the first 6 months of 1976.

2. Hope House for Girls, of Alpena, Michigan, advised of their services, and askeri Crawford County to consider allotting \$125.00

to Hope House to continue their grant.

3. DNR sent a public notice that Eugene Barber has applied for a permit under Act 346 to construct a retaining wall on the South Branch of the AuSable, Section 31, T25N, R2W. This was turned

over to the Zoning Inspector.

4. AuSable School District Community School Director asked to be informed of meetings and activities of the Board. Chairman Kauffman appointed Edwin Martindale Liaison man.

MOTION by Harland, second by Bidvia, to adjourn

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 8th day of August 1977. Meeting called

ng called to order by Fred Kauffman, Chairman Invocation by Chairman Kauffman. Present: Matthew Bidvia, Rolla Failing, Mary Harland, Fred

Kauffman, Edward Lowrie, Edwin Martindale-Present. Lawrence Visitors Present: Mr. and Mrs. Farren, Walter Nowak, R.J. Smith. MOTION by Harland, second by Lowrie, that the minutes of the

meeting of July 25th be approved. Roll Call. All Aye. Carried. CORRESPONDENCE Ralph Sperry asked for an audience with the Board re ROOC.

Emil Tahvonen, State Auditor, advised that all State checks will be made out to the County Treasurer, to insure that all payments will reach the Treasurer of each county.

nents will reach the freasurer of each county.

3. Factor and ratio sheet for 1977.

4. NEMCOG made application for a grant to assist local governments in developing a personnel management system. They asked for letters of support for this program. Curtis Haas, Sheriff, met with the Board and requested a transfer of line items in his budgets to his Gas budget.

MOTION by Harland, second by Lowrie, that budget items from the Sheriff's Department be reviewed by the Finance

from the Sheriff's Department be reviewed by the Finance Committee. Roll Call. All Aye. Carried.

HEALTH & WELFARE COMMITTEE REPORT by Kauffman. There was no public health meeting, but he met Mr. Since at the convention and had a meeting with him. Mr. Since is getting a program to produce at the MAC meeting on October 13. Northern Counties will meet the 3rd Monday of September. Mr. Kauffman and Mr. Failing will attend the regular meeting on August 30.

Mr. Kauffman reported on the MAC convention in Boyne Mountain. He attended a meeting on Workmen's Compensation for the Health Department. The State does not carry this on their

the Health Department. The State does not carry this on their

oyees. He also attended a meeting on Criminal Parole.
YOUTH BUREAU COMMITTEE REPORT by Failing. There was discussion on Workmen's Compensation liability on a 10 week project for a DNR grant

MOTION by Harland, second by Failing, to table a determina-tion until afternoon. Roll Call. All Aye. Carried. MENTAL HEALTH COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie. A budget

has been adopted and submitted to the State; Crawford County's responsibility will be \$12,190. There is a problem regarding combining the Northern part of the Lower Peninsula with the gional services. Joe Wakeley, County Treasurer, met with the Board regarding

transfer of County funds. He also reported that there is enough money to hire a Secretary for 10 months to do reports for the Emergency Jobs Corporation, and asked the Board's approval. MOTION by Lowrie, second by Harland, to transfer Revenue

Sharing funds to the General Fund of the County, in the amount of \$87,059.00, to be applied to the Sheriff's budget, which meets the

Public Safety category. Roll Call. Lowrie, Harland, Falling, Bidvia, Martindale, Kauffman—Ail Aye. Carried.

MOTION by Lowrie, second by Bidvia, to transfer Anti recession furuds to the General Fund of the County, in the amount of \$19,175.00, to provide for General Administrative expenses. Roll Call. Lowrie, Bidvia, Failing, Harland, Martindale, Kauffman—All Aye. Carried

MOTIONby Lowrie, second by Harland, to transfer \$6,000.00 from the General Fund to Child Care. Roll Call. Lowrie, Harland,

Failing, Bidvia, Martindale, Kauffman—All Aye, Carried, AIRPORT COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie, Grayling Township agreed to participate in the purchase of the Airport in the amount of 25%. The attorneys are drafting the agreement. .. The attorneys are drafting the agreement.
ROADS & BRIDGES COMMITTEE REPORT. Mr. Failing said.

there has been approval on a bridge on the Dam Road. The detour is done and it will be started next week.

PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT by Lowrie. The Commis-

PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT by Lowrie. The Commission will meet on the 9th and make assignments of Commission members to commence actual mapping of land use.

ZONING COMMITTEE REPORT by Harland. The semi annual meeting was held. One topic was a restricted trailer park in Lovells to be used as an interdenominational gospel retreat. This was referred to the Planning Commission and there will be a hearing on August 11. There was also discussion on road abandonment in Hartwick Pines.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT by Martindale. By-laws on Youth Services have been adopted. The Committee recommended that Joanna Bolender be raised from Grade 04 to Grade 06

MOTION by Martindale, second by Failing, to change Joanna Bolender from Grade 04 to Grade 06, effective next payroll. Rol Call. Martindale, Failing, Bidvia, Harland, Lowrie, Kauffman-Al

Gammed.
 Commissioner Harland asked permission to amend the motion ead "from date of hire". No support.

Chairman Kauffman read an Opinion from Frank J. Kelley, Attorney General to be posted in the min

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commissioners prohibiting county employees from running for a partisan political office is valid. Such a policy, however, applies only to county employees subject to the supervision of the board. Appointed and elected officials of the County approached the Commissioners in opposition to their salary increase of 5.6% plus fringes. They felt they should receive the same increase as the bargaining unit personnel. Judge Kraus asked for an increase of \$971.00, as awarded by the State for Judge of Probate salaries.

Chairman Kauffman made a presentation of a plaque to R.J. Smith for his wife, Betty, in appreciation of her services to this

Russell Wright appeared before the Board in behalf of residents of Section 6 Subdivision. He presented a petition, signed by 104 people, to refrain from the erection, construction or

operation of any animal shelter or dog pound for the retention or disposition of any animals in any part of Section 6.
Attorney Ralph Sperry appeared before the Board to make a request for funds for ROOC. This will be considered when the

budget is prepared.

Commissioner Maltis now present.

Robert Smock, of Youth Services, presented a master list of all people employed by Youth Services. As an employer of 115 youths with a budget of \$100,000, he said they are the third largest employer in Crawford County. He requested the County to sponsor the DNR Grant project for 10 weeks, and pick up the Workmen's Compensation liability, which will be reimbursed. After much

discussion and checking, the following motion was made.

MCTION by Mattis, second by Lowrie, that the County cover
the Youth Service DNR program for Workmen's Compensation for \$150.00. Roll Call. Mattis, Lowrie, Harland, Bidvia, Failing, - All Ave. Martindale -- No. Carrier

ANIMAL CONTROL COMMITTEE REPORT by Harland MOTION by Mattis, that Crawford County turn back to the Township and City of Grayling the operation of Animal Control. No

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT by Harland. Mrs. Harland presented a resolution to oppose House Bill 4353, which requires pre sale inspection certificates.

MOTION by Harland second by Lowrie, to table action on resolution opposing HB 4153 until the Chairman of the Committee Feviness it, Roll Call. All Aye, Carried.
PARKS COMMITTEE REPORT by Harland, Correspondence

has been received from Lora Gould advising that a 3 day institute

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE REPORT by Bidvia. Figures or the first 7 months operation of Dial-A-Ride have been submitted by Chester Johnson, Manager. It will cost the County \$40,000 to continue the program, and they must have the County's approval hefore they can make application to the State. The Finance Epmmittee asked for a projection of their expenses for next year.

Rod Parker, of Northeast Michigan Council of Governments, met with the Board. He distributed copies of their Work Program Summary for the fiscal year 1978, and asked for comments and questions from the Board.

Commissioner Mattis excused because of illness in his family SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie.

Annual meeting was held in South Branch Township Hall, with an extremely good turn out. Delegates were elected, and all the incumbents were reelected.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT by Lowrie. Your Committee on Finance would respectfully submit the following as their report, and do hereby recommend that the several amounts scheduled herein be allowed and that the Clerk of this Board be authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer. Also to approve the vouchers of the Road Commissioners in the amount of \$232.04, and the bills of the several County Commissioners

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Gow-Mac Instrument Co Automotive Parts & Supply Co	Supplies	118.67 79.67
City of Grayling	Garage Expense	959.42
Grayling Elec. & Heat. Co Grayling Office Supply	Grounds Mntnce.	19.00 174.82
Grayling Hospital for Animals	Medical Services	70.00
Grayling Power Equip. Co	Grounds Motoce Repair & Parts	5.00 162.37
Gust Automotive	Diving Equipment	11.25
P. A. Juntilla, D.D.S	Inmates-Medical	24.00
Larry's Auto Repair & Towing	Grnds, Mntnccar rep.	20.00 184.08
Mac's Drug Store	SuppFilmInmate drugs	170.94
Markson Science, Inc	Office Supplies	27.17 18.14
Mercy Hospital	Inmates Medical	20.00
Mi. Dept. of Labor State of Mi. Dept. of Health		5.00 10.00
McBee Systems	Office Supplies	36.82
Miller Hardware		17.54 35.00
Moore's Automotive	Car Repair-Supplies	30.21
North Central Mi. Mental Health . Northern Prof Emerg Serv	Appropriations	2,292.25 15.50
Olde Worlde Products, Inc.	Bidg. Mntnce.	23.30
Olde Worlde Products, Inc. Robert E. Pierce, M.D. R & H Sports Center	Autopsies Grade Matrice	400.00
Recreational Motors	Supplies	6.00 40.25
Robertson's Greenhouse	Grnds, Mntnce.	99.00
Scuba North	Gas & Oil	18.00 21.92
Shield's Body Shop	Car Repair	42.43
Silver Springs Water Co	Supplies	13.30 76.00
Sigma Chemical Company Steindler Paper Company	Janitor Supplies	119.44
WWR Scientific Inc	Storage-Microfilm rec	120.46 115.40
Wares Bro's	Off. SuppMisc.	132.60
Weaver's Shell Service Inc White Pine Stables	Car Repair	1.35 87.00
Waters Assoc. Inc.	Supplies	24.75
Xerox	Copier Supplies	28 50
Otsego County	Planning Consultation	0.001.60 196.09
General Telephone	Phone Service	1.79
Boyne Mt. Lodge	Conv. Expense	112.47 110.00
MOTION by Lowrie, second	by Failing, that the repo	rt of the
Finance Committee be approved	and accepted. Roll Call.	Lowrie.

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Commissioner	Per Diem	Salary	Rmba
Matthew Bidvia	220.00	100.00	24.3
Rolla Failing	370.00	100.00	72.6
Mary E. Harland	450.00	100.00	49.1
Fred Kauffman	290.00	100.00	181.6
Ed Lowrie	470.00	100.00	96.4
Edwin C. Martindale	400.00	100.00	72.8
Lawrence Mattis	230.00	100.00	136.7

Chairman Kauffman adjourned the meeting Fred Kauffman, Chairman Leo E. Lovely, County Clerk

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Thursday, August 25, 1977

Grayling Township Board

Regular Meeting, August 9, 1977
Members present: Fowler, Gardiner, Hallett, Millikin, Wieland
Others present: Celvin and Sue Brenner, Edward Ungerwood. Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. The minutes of the regular meeting of 7-12-77 and the minutes of the special meeting of 7-29-77 were approved as written.

The Treasurer's report was accepted as given

1. Correspondence from John H. Smith relative to possible violations of the Green Belt Zone was referred to the Board of Appeals and Planning Commission for their review and comment.

2. Notice of a Level II Assessor's course to be offered through

Kirtland Community College was received.

3. Upon confirmation of the property owner share of a road project from Cornell Realty, Inc., an agreement will be initiated. with the Road Commission to black top 1/4 mile of Wilcox Bridge Road.

 Notice of a Public Hearing relative to the reconciling cost and revenues under Consumer Power Company's fuel cost adjustment clause and purchased power adjustment clause was received

Correspondence from Lake Margrethe Property Owners Association relative to campers using the undeveloped shoreline of the west side of Lake Margrethe was received. The Supervisor was instructed to initiate procedure relative to having a road developed from the campground straight through to M 72 West.

6. Upon request of Edward Underwood a division of Lot 4 of

Clough's Highland Acres was approved as follows: the W 25' being combined with Lot 5 and the E 78.95' remaining with Lot 2.

7. A brief report of the Planning Commission stipulated their goals to be initiated within the next three months.

8. Correspondence was received from the Department of Commerce, Liquer Control Commission, relative to requests from

Commerce, Liquer Control Commission, relative to requests from Orris and Barbara Ann Hulett and Charles E. Evon for new SDD licenses to be held in conjunction with their SDM licenses.

9. A brief resume of the press meeting held by Senator Davis relative to his introducing a bill to increase the State's payment in lieu of taxes on reverted tax lands was given.

10. Fowler reported on a hearing on House Joint Resolution C and other property tax issues at the High School.

11. No objections were raised relative to Friedras Company.

11. No objections were raised relative to Fuelgas Company,

Inc. constructing a service center for recreation vehicles as long as the regulations of the State Fire Marshal are complied with.

12. The statement of assurances for Entitlement Period 9 will be filed with the Federal Government.

13. To clarify action taken at the regular meeting of 7-12-77, resolutions were adopted recommending the requests of Lawrence and Joan Mattis and Bruce B. Benson for new full year Class C licenses to be located in Grayling Township, be approved.

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14. An inquiry was made about the Class C License previously held at the Polyhedron Lodge.

15. An agreement has been drafted and submitted to Grayling Air. Inc. for final settlement of all their interest in the Airport.

16. Preliminary road work has been started at the Compactor station. The installation of a mercury vapor light was discussed.

17. Fowler informed the Board that the State Construction Commission requirements stipulate the Energy Code must be administered in conjunction with the construction code.

18. Earl Seaberg Jr. has been re-hired to complete various jobs.

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50% of the tunds are available through Federal programs if the CETA slot approved can not be filed. 20. The report of Assessing Functions was received, reviewed,

21. State Revenue Sharing reflecting the special census was received. Action to liquidate the loan on the Compactor as funds are available was authorized

22. Authorization for the replacement of the faulty calculators. adding machine, and a pencil sharpener was granted.

23. Authorization was granted to sell the old drafting table.

24. An insurance rider has been written for the Compactor.

24. An insurance floer has been written to the Compactor. Costs of errors and omission coverage is being obtained.
25. Violations of ordinances are being processed. Court cases have still not been scheduled on pencing violations.
Vouchers 2353 through 2375 in the amount of \$2429.31 were approved for payment. Meeting adjourned.

Elizabeth H. Wieland, Township Clerk

Road Commission Minutes

August 12, 1977

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commissioners neid in their office in Grayling, Chairman Milikin presiding. Members present. Commissioners LeRoy Millikin, Ervin E. Richter and Grover C. Cason and Engineer Manager John M. Keir and

Secretary Lorna Bernard. Absent, none.
The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. A motion was made by Comm. Caston and supported by Comm. Richter that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor, motion A discussion was held on road name signs and sign policy in

general.

An application was received from General Telephone Company

by the deadle within the right of way 27 feet off for a permit to plow buried cable within the right of way 27 feet off

the centerline along Redfailed Hawk Drive south and east of the right of way. The permit was signed and approved by the Board. An application was received from General Telephone Company to cut brush and small trees along the west right of way of Johnson Road south of the Fletcher Road and to bury telephone cable along the east right of way of Johnson Road to a private right of way north of the Seven Mile Road. The application was approved and signed An application was received from Michigan Consolidated Gas Company to install approx. 95 rt. of 1 1/4" gas main to serve a new

customer. The permit was approved and signed by the board.
Following the business meeting, the commissioners and
Engineer Manager Keir made a trip of inspection to Ole Dam Bridge site where construction is underway. Upon returning to the office a motion was made and supported

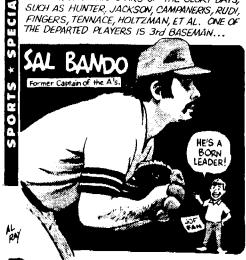
to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned. LeRoy Millikin, Chairman Lorna Bernard, Secretary

August 12, 1977

A special meeting held in regards to the abandonment of roads within the confines of Hartwick Pines was held at the Grayling City Hall at 7:00 p.m. The meeting was attended by Commissioners LeRoy Millikin. Ervin E. Richter, and Grover C. Cason; Engineer Manager John M. Keir and Secretary Lorna Bernard. Also attending of the DNR of Hartwick Pines and Bob Helmin the DNR Parks Division of Lansing, Mr. John Small and Clair Smith of Grayling were the attending interested public. A discussion will now be taken up by the board at the regular meeting on August 19. LeRoy Millikin, Chairman Lorna Bernard, Secretary

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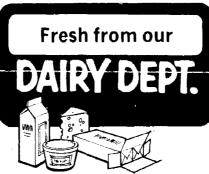


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LIFE MEMBERSHIP PLAQUE—Clyde Borchers, at right, owner of Cornell Realty, is shown receiving his life membership plaque of the Real Estate Political Action Committee. The presentation took place at Mackinac Island during the Michigan Association of Realtors Annual Convention and was presented by Tom Grant, 1st Vice President for the National Association of Realtors. He is one of the elite group of 323 members throughout the state of Michigan.

Red Cross

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notify the Sheriff's Office who will alert the Red Cross Fire Support Team on standby.

The responsible Red Cross Fire Support Team will immediately proceed to the Courthouse, pick up the equipment, go to McDonalds of Grayling for the food and drink and then proceed to the fire fighting scene to serve the Volunteer Fire Fighters.

All of the Fire Support Teams are equipped with CB transceivers and communication arrangements are

Obviously we hope they will never be called into action, but, they are ready, willing and prepared when the need arises.

Crawford County Chapter/American Red Cross is proud of its Volunteers who are making this Fire Support Service possible, and are pleased to assist in providing this badly needed community service.

Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee
Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCurdy
and Mr. and Mrs. David Millikin
and their families epent a long 3-day weekend camping at a park northeast of Sault Ste. Marie. Ontario. Mrs. Leta Babbitt of Cale-

Mrs. Leta babbit of Cale-donia has been spending some time in the Grayling area. She stayed with Mrs. Pearl Babbit in Maple Forest and then with Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Fowler at

Edgewater-on-the AuSable.
Mrs. Erdine Reynolds, of
Midland visited her sister, Mrs.
Nadine Peterson, for a couple of

Mrs. Bobby Fender is also the grandmother of Angela Lynn Meyers, new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Meyers, of Monticello, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams are great grandparents. Earl and lola Broadbent had

their annual "fresh vegetables from the garden" supper for the local neighborhood children on Wednesday, August 17. It was held picnic style in their back

Steve LaGrow of Atlanta, Ga., was home for a few days last week visiting his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Wes LaGrow.

David Bailey of Atlanta, Ga. was home the week before last visiting his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Riker.

The office of the Grayling

Elementary School will be open every day starting on Monday. August 22, for the two weeks previous to the opening of

previous to the opening of school.

Mrs. Helen Catlin of Toledo and Mrs. Helen Clippert of Grayling visited Mrs. Louise Johnson at the King Nursing Home in Houghton Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crull of Detroit have moved to Grayling

and are making their home on the AuSable River west of town. He is a builder and will be doing that work in this area.

Scheduling

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ed by the computer are asked to before 4 o'clock Monday, August 29 to notify school personnel that they will be arena sonnet mat they will be arena scheduling. Any student who is unable to come to the school at their scheduled time may arena schedule at any time after their scheduled time. Students who are unable to come to the school on the first day of school Wortnesday. Sentember 7.

Wednesday, September 7.

If you have any questions please call the school at 348-7641. We are looking forward to an outstanding school year and to seeing you in a few weeks.



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